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SPIDER-MAN





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High schooler Miles Morales was bitten by a stolen, genetically altered Spider that granted him incredible arachnid-like powers. He has only shared this secret with his friend Ganke, Fabio Medina (A.K.A. Goldballs), and his secret agent father, Jefferson. Recently, Miles' mother Rio learned Miles and Jefferson's secrets, creating a rift in the family. In order to bridge this rift, Rio went to Miles' dorm to talk it out, but he was gone...

Black Cat's main goon Hammerhead put Miles' fellow young super hero Bombshell in the hospital. When Miles, Ganke and Goldballs learned this fact, Miles took off to fight Hammerhead alone, and the brutal battle did not go well for the webslinger...

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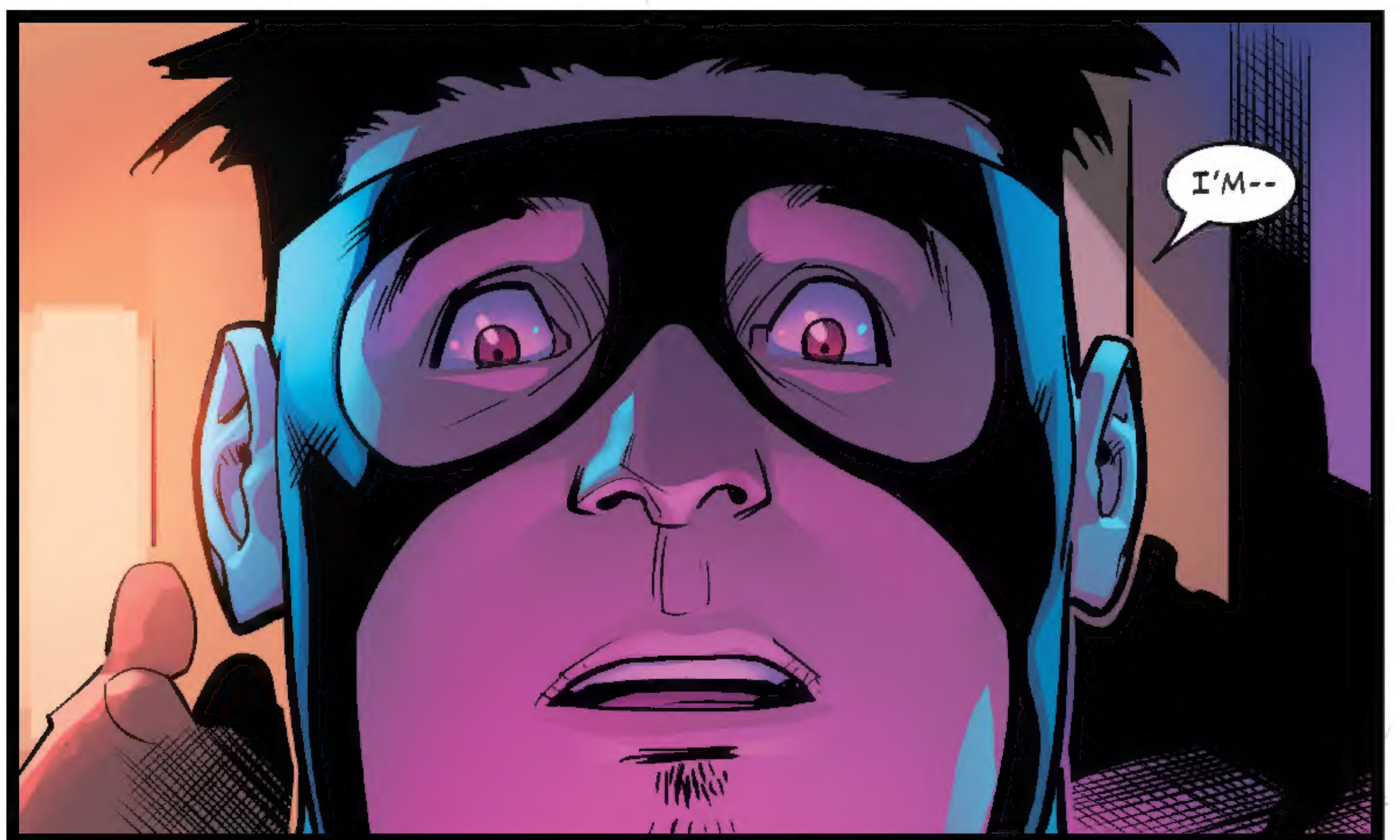
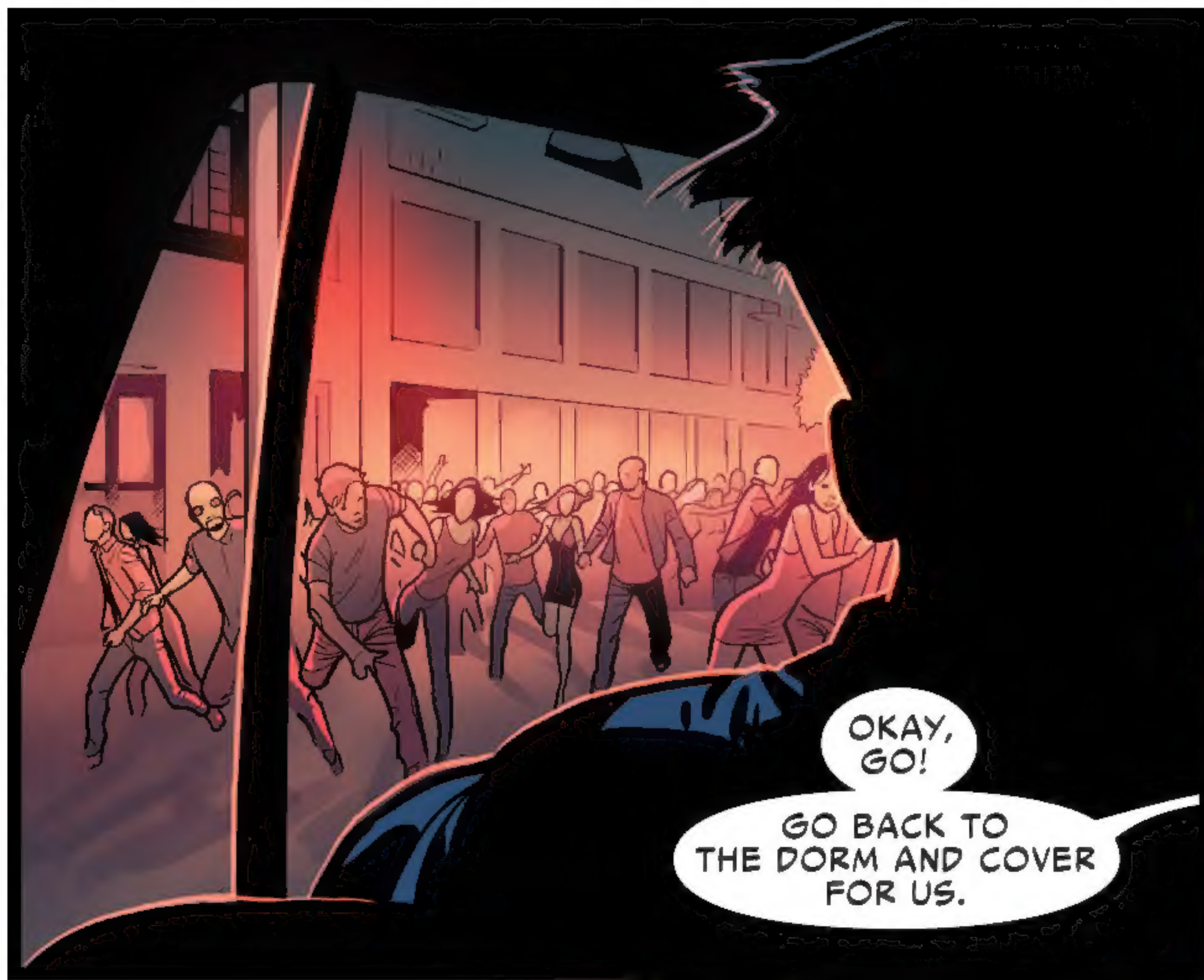
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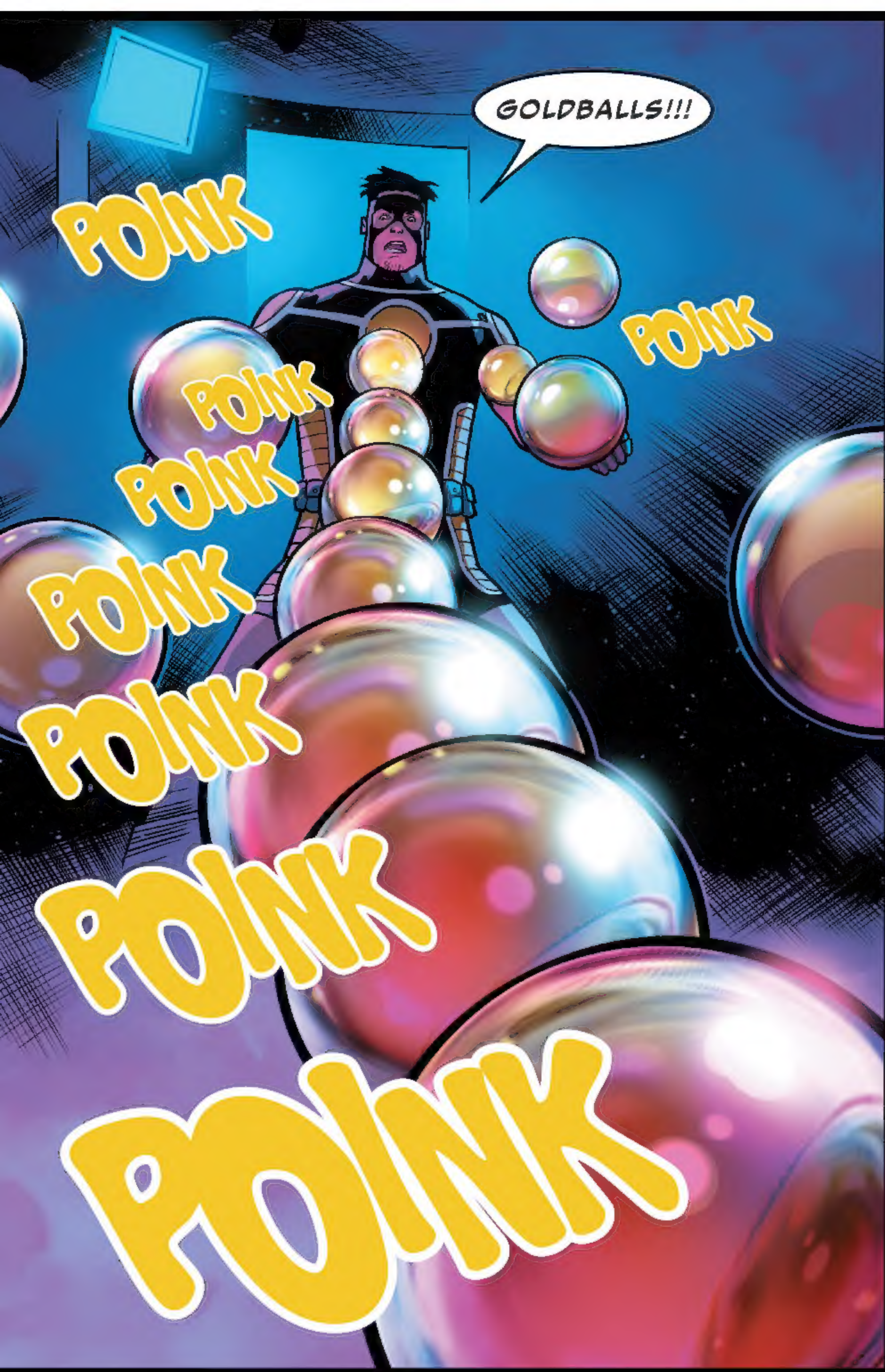
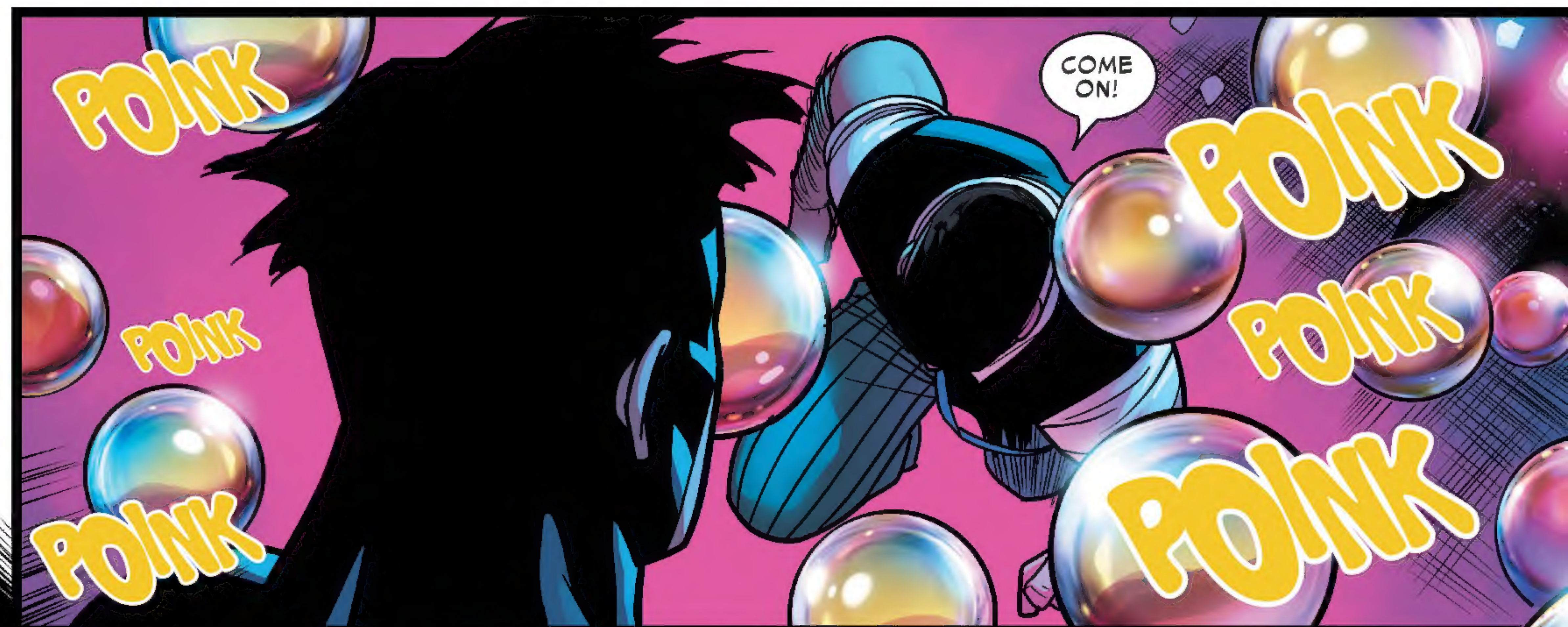
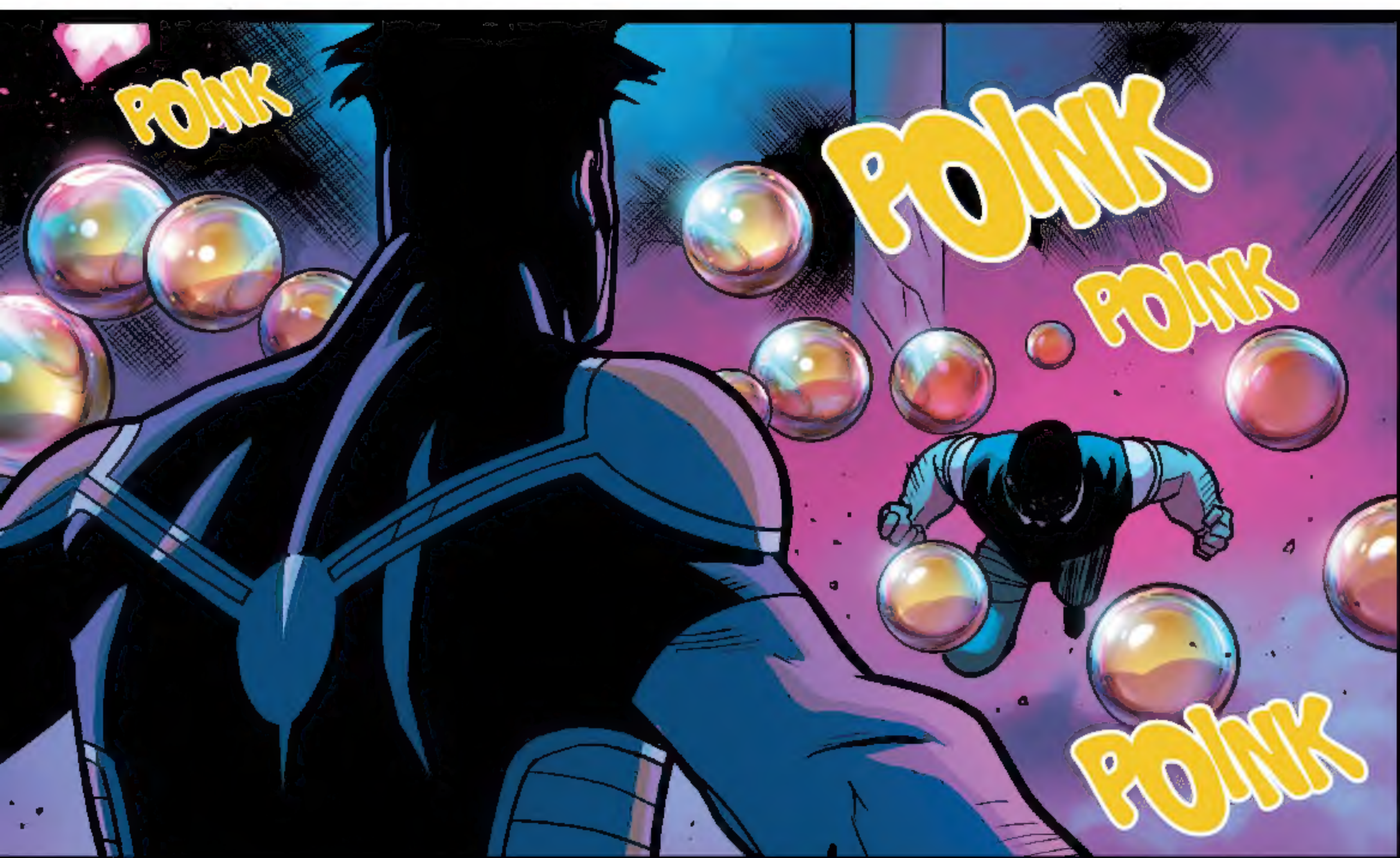
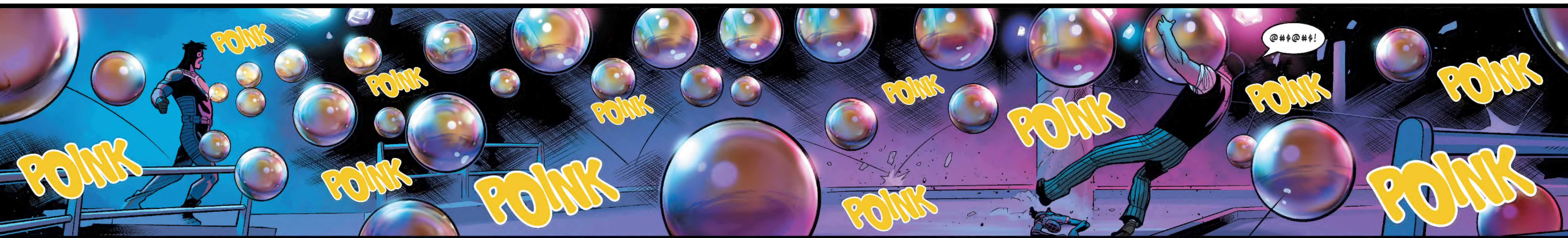
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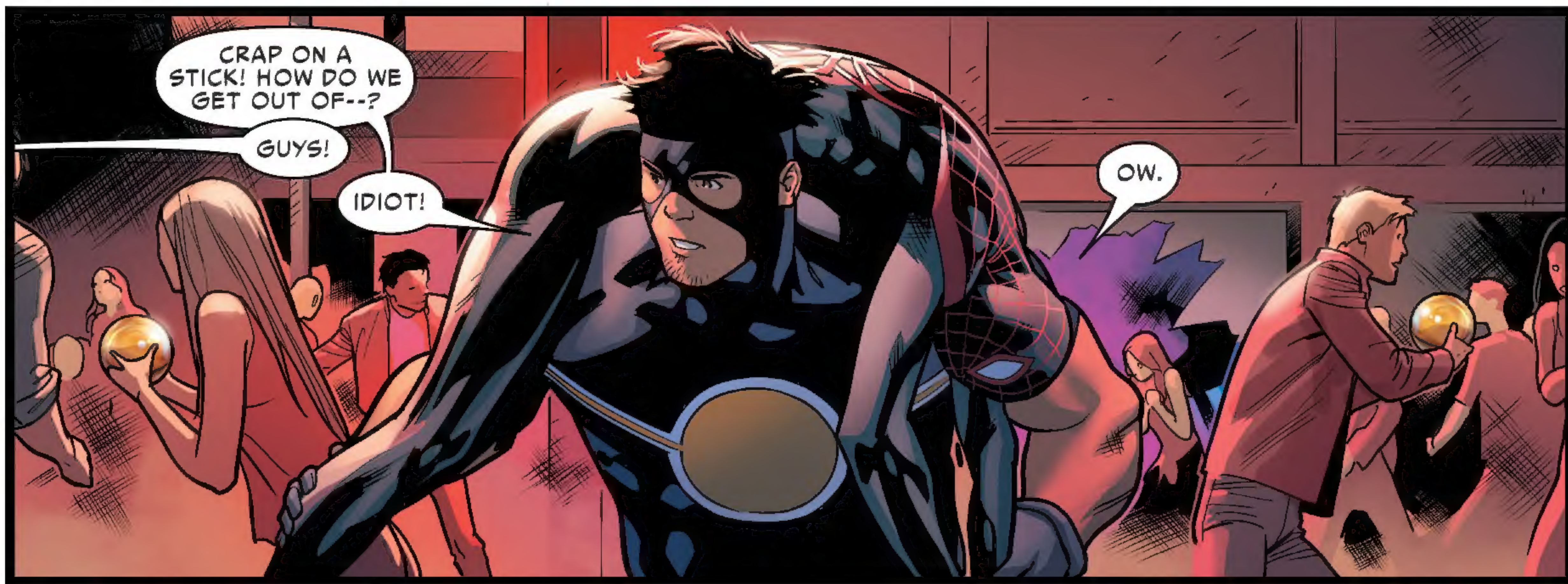
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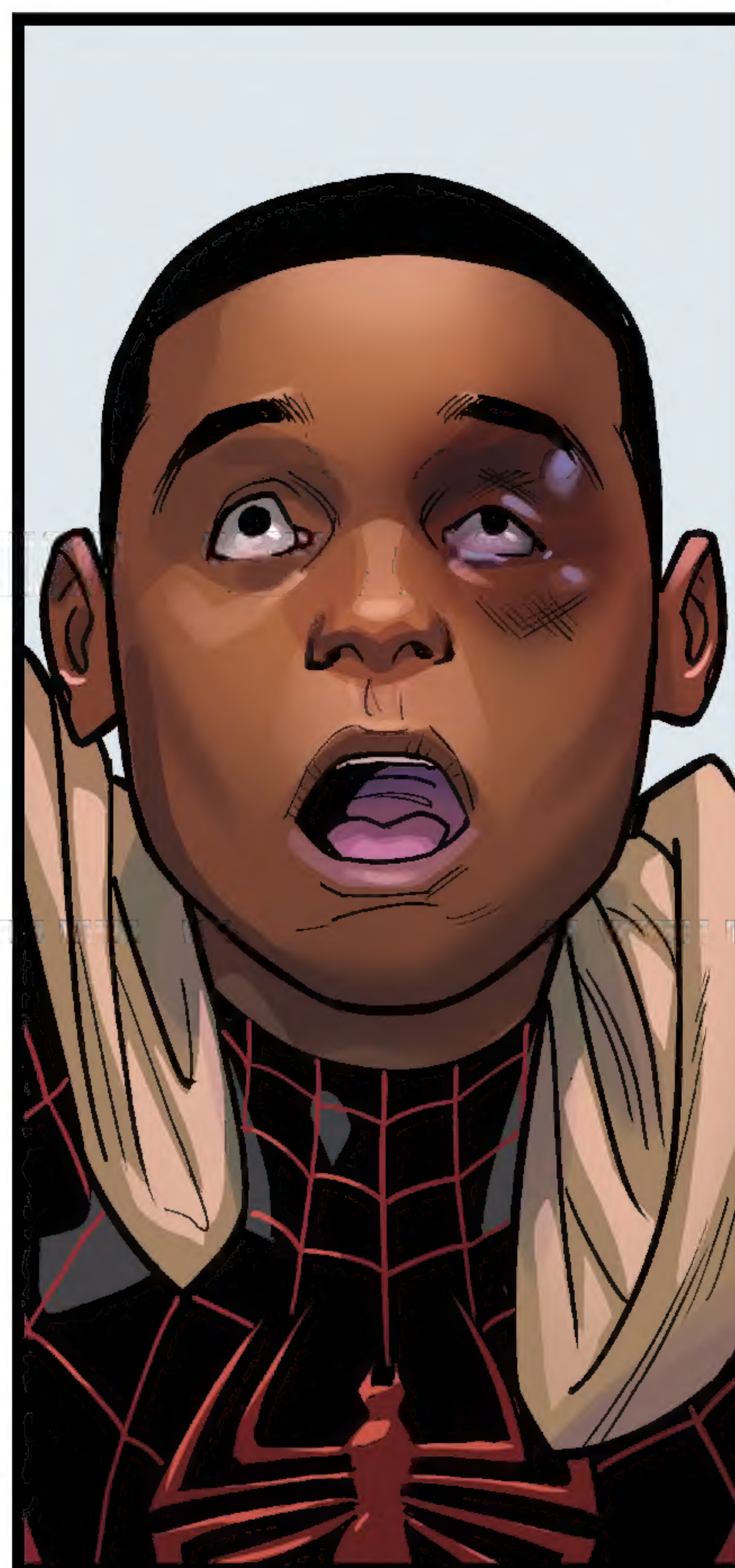
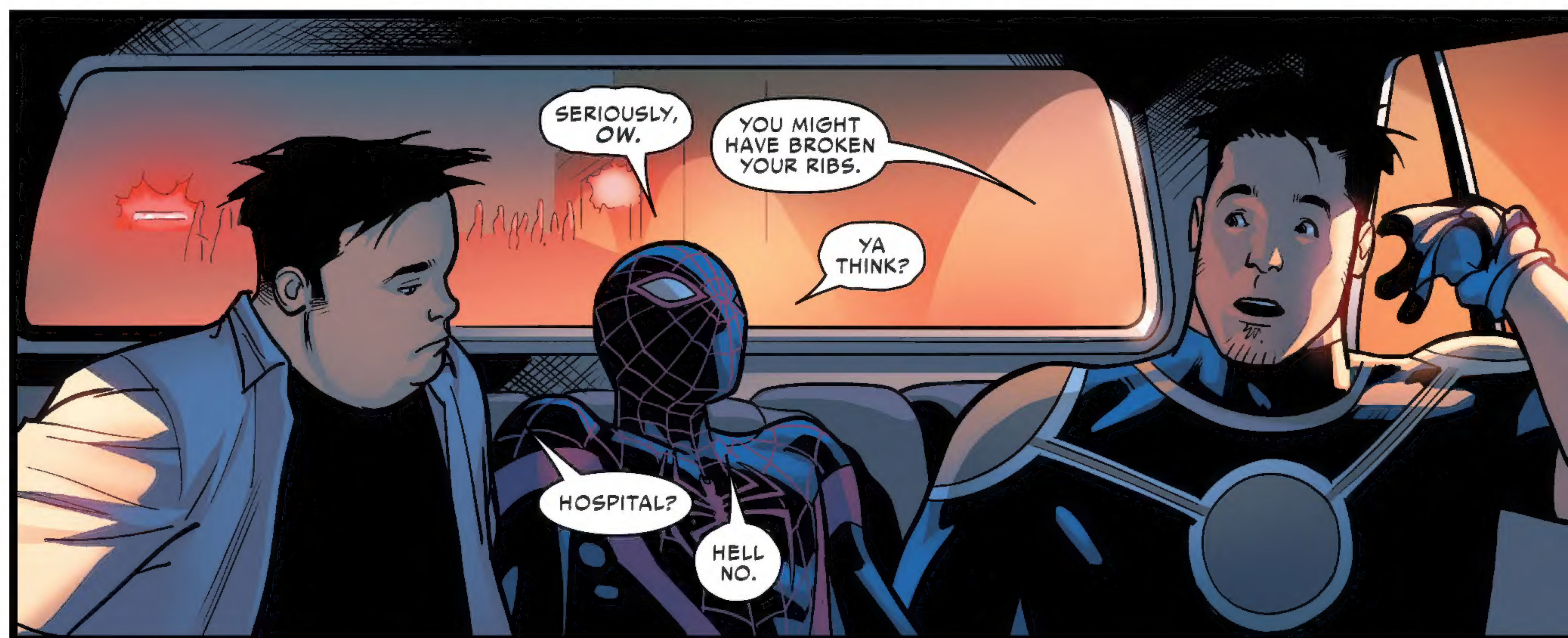
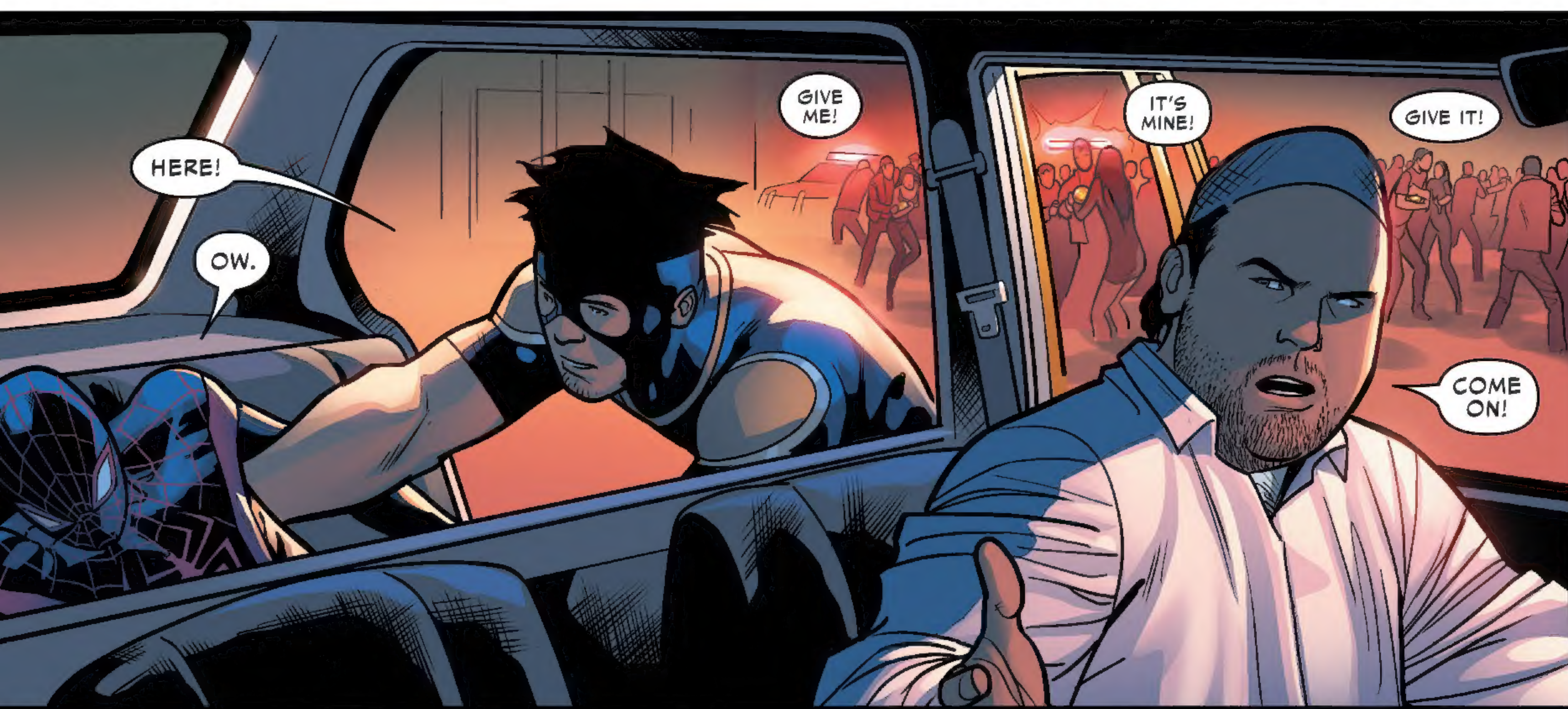
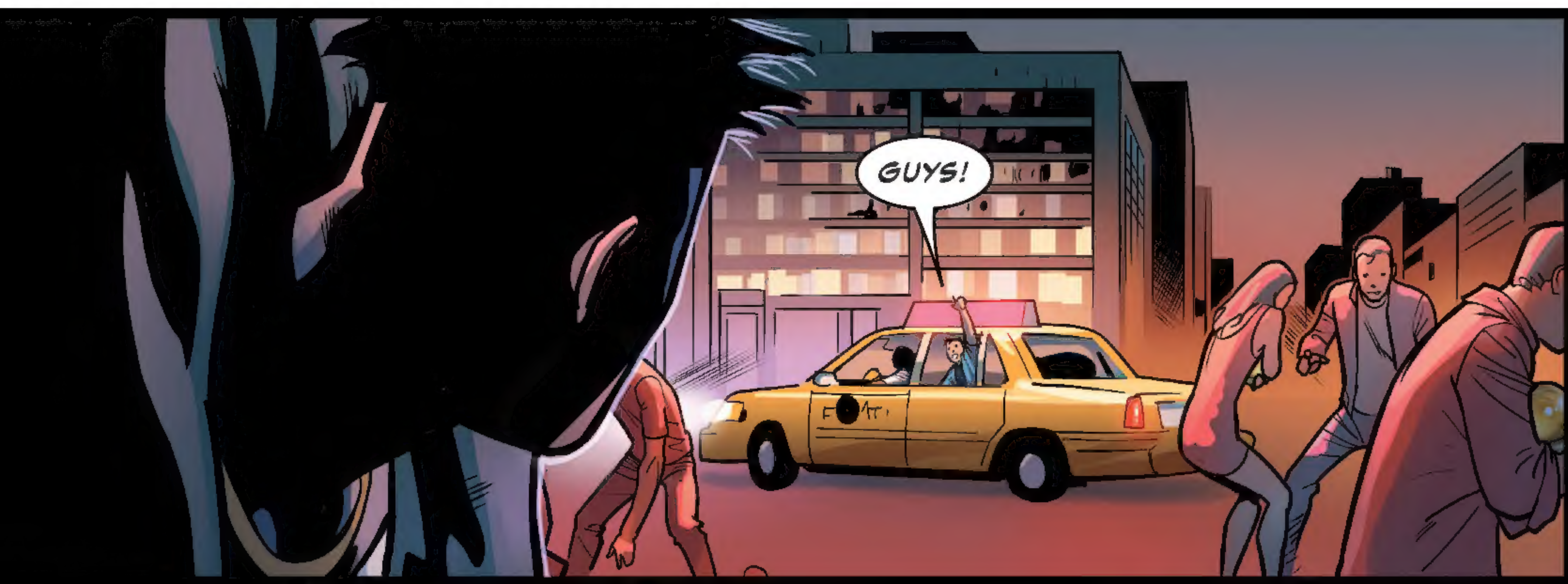


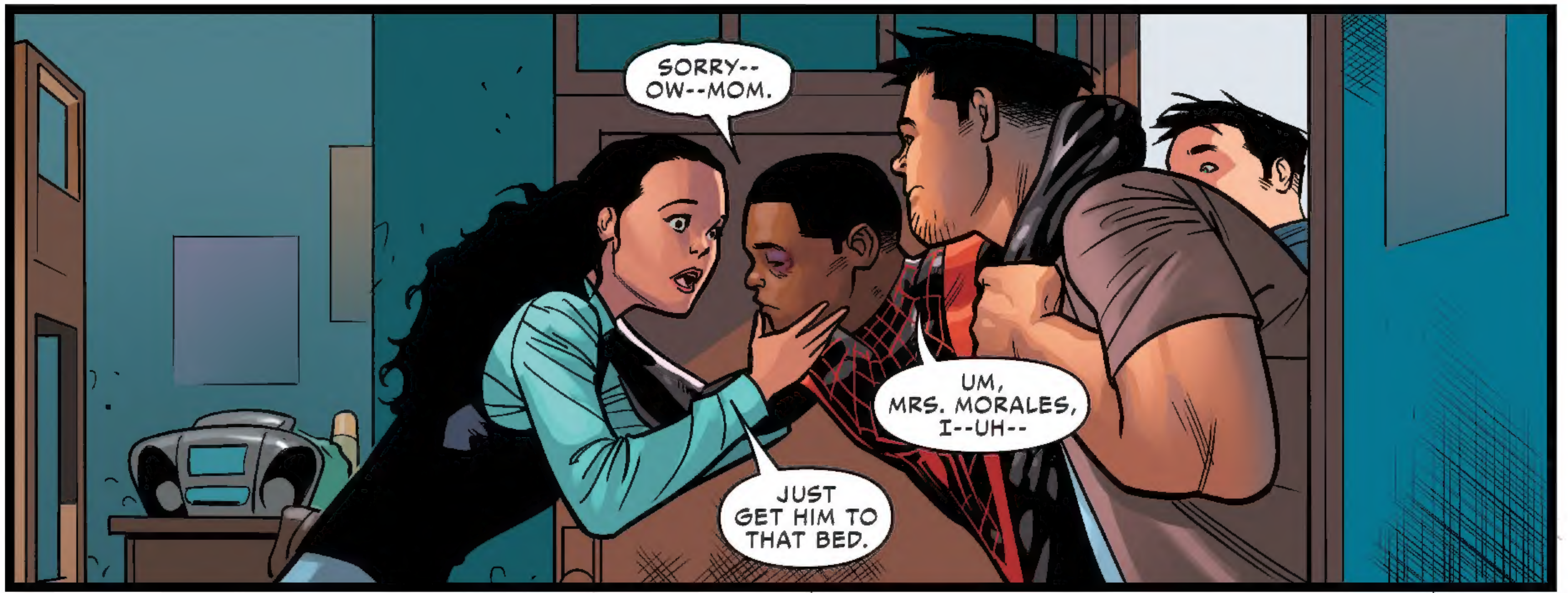


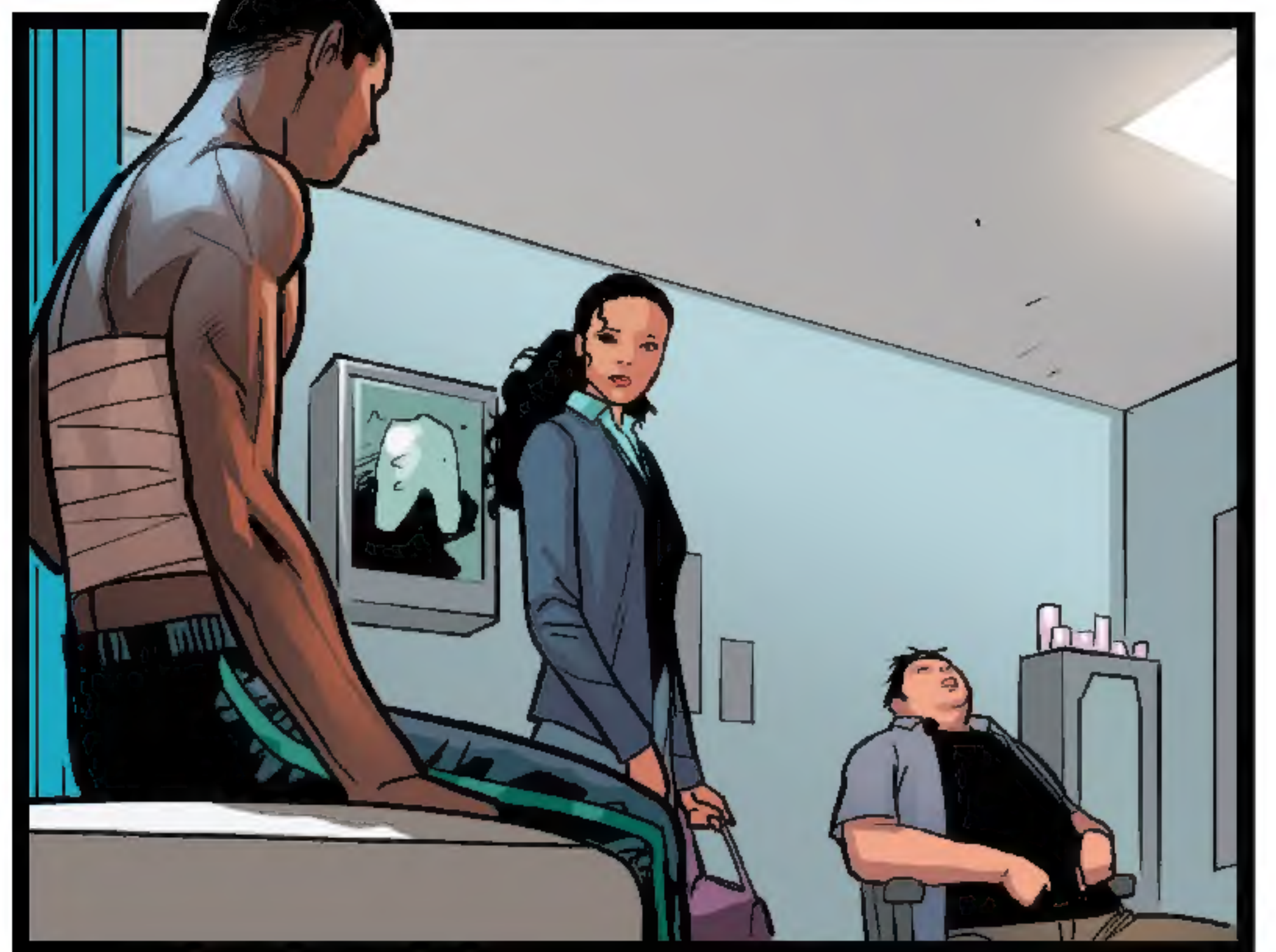
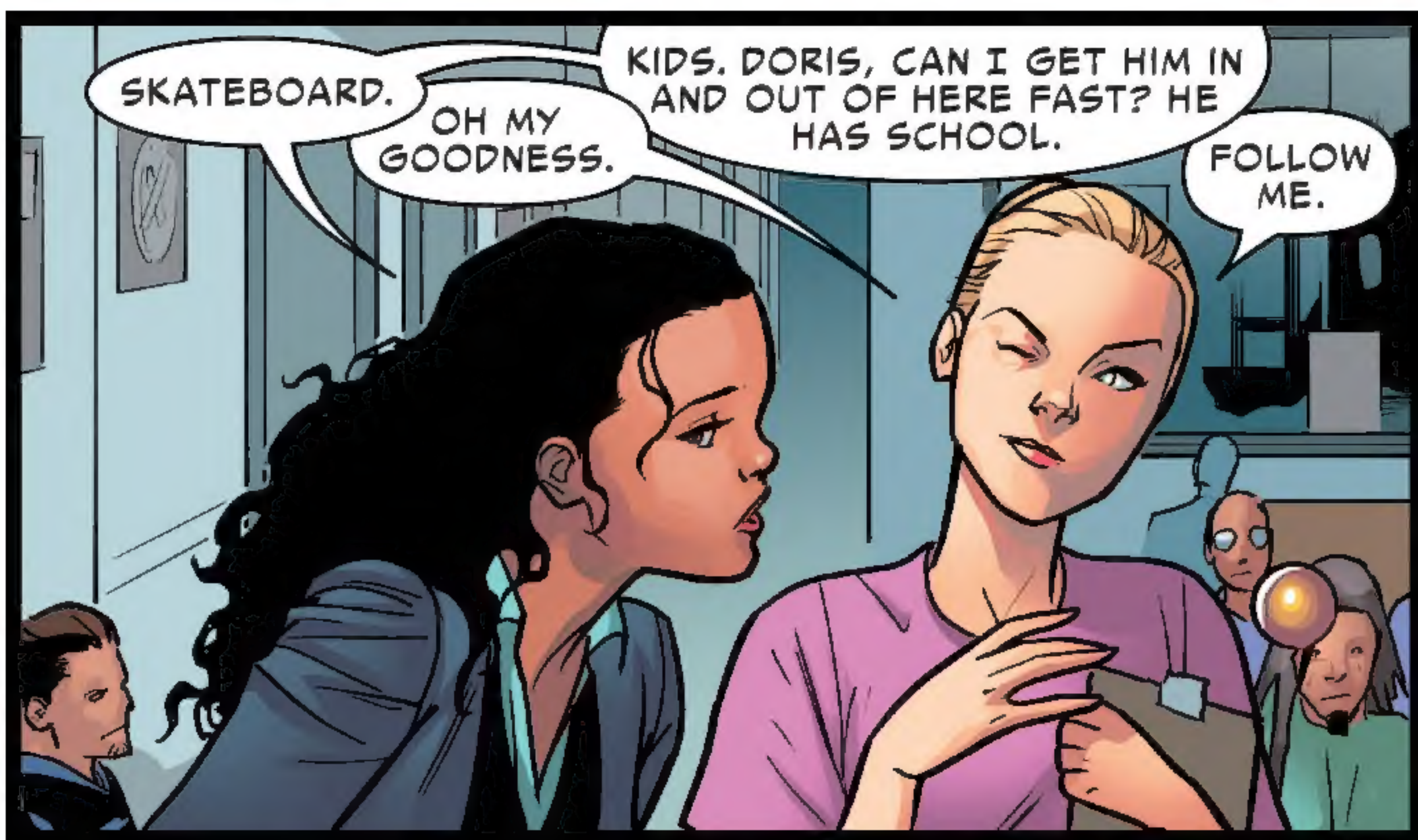
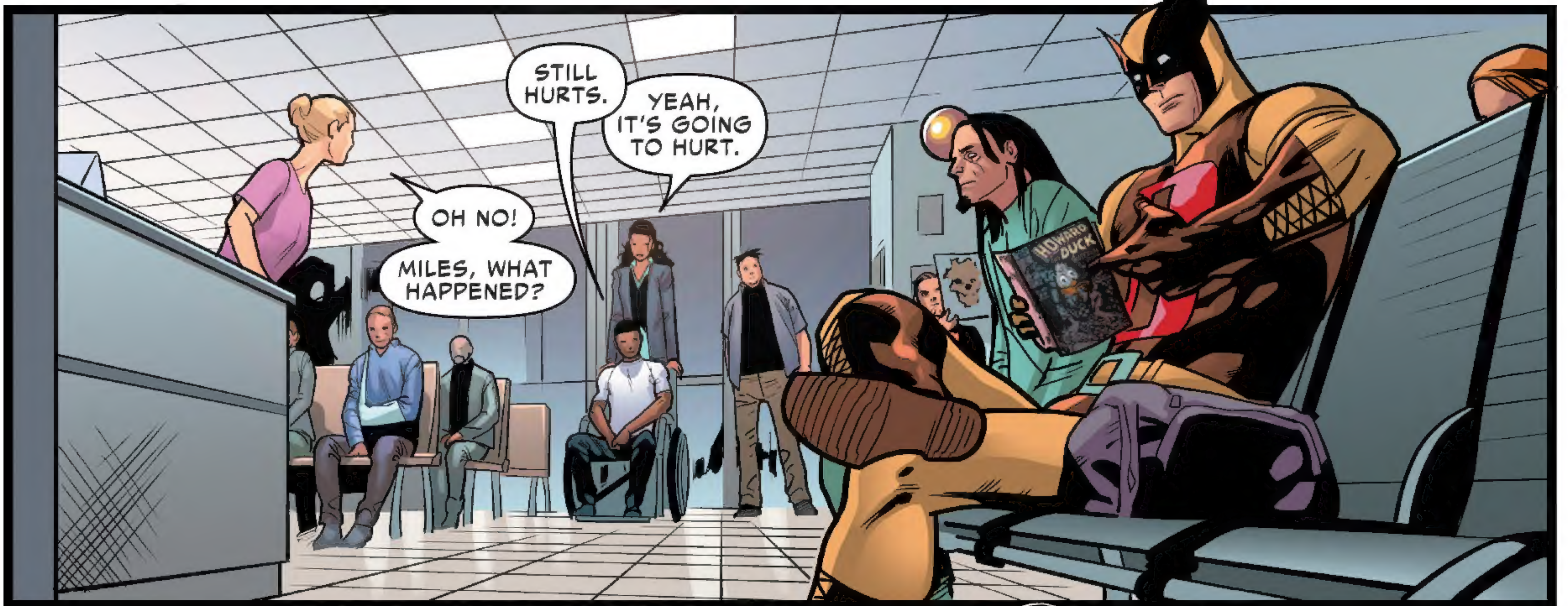


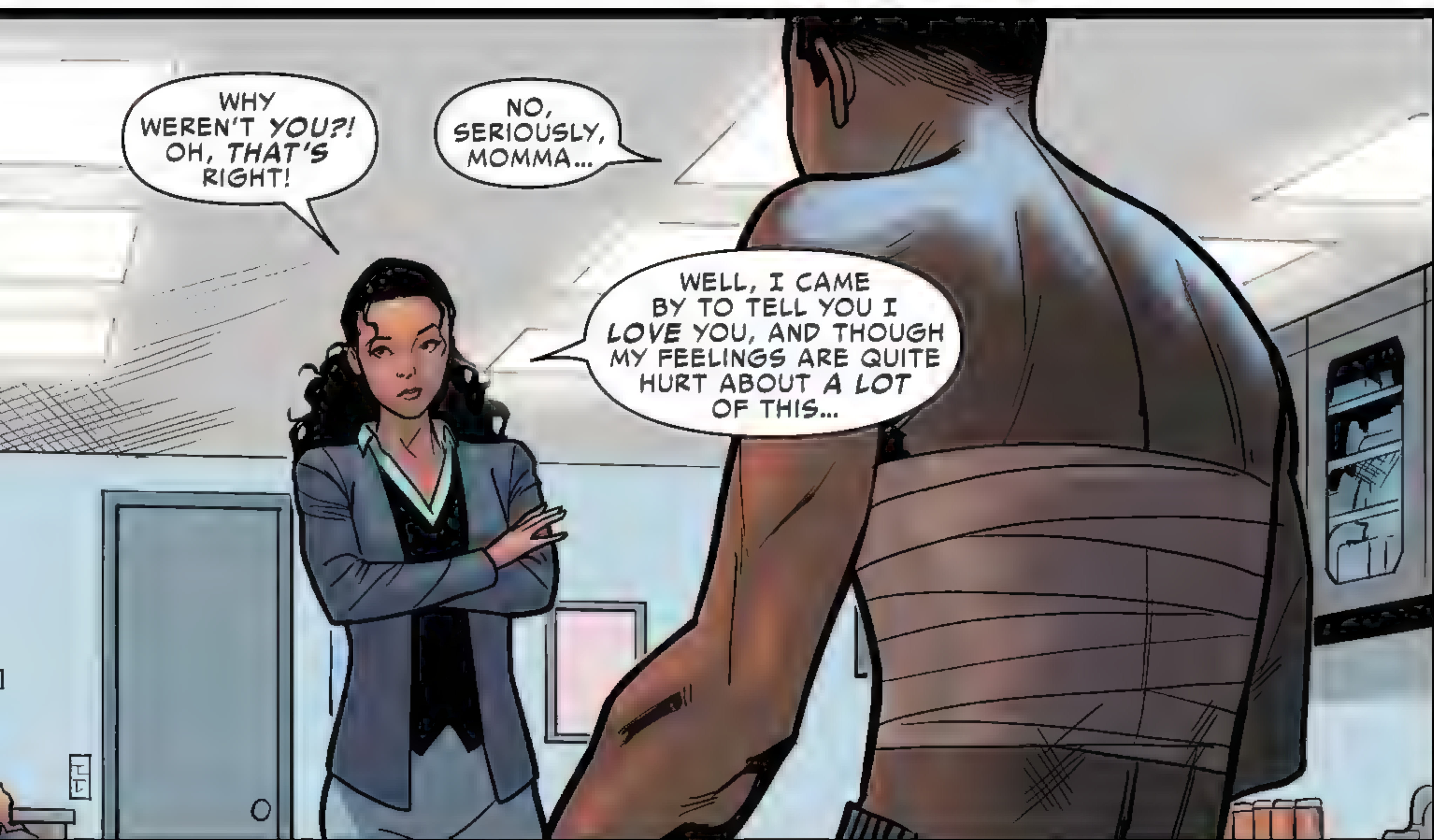








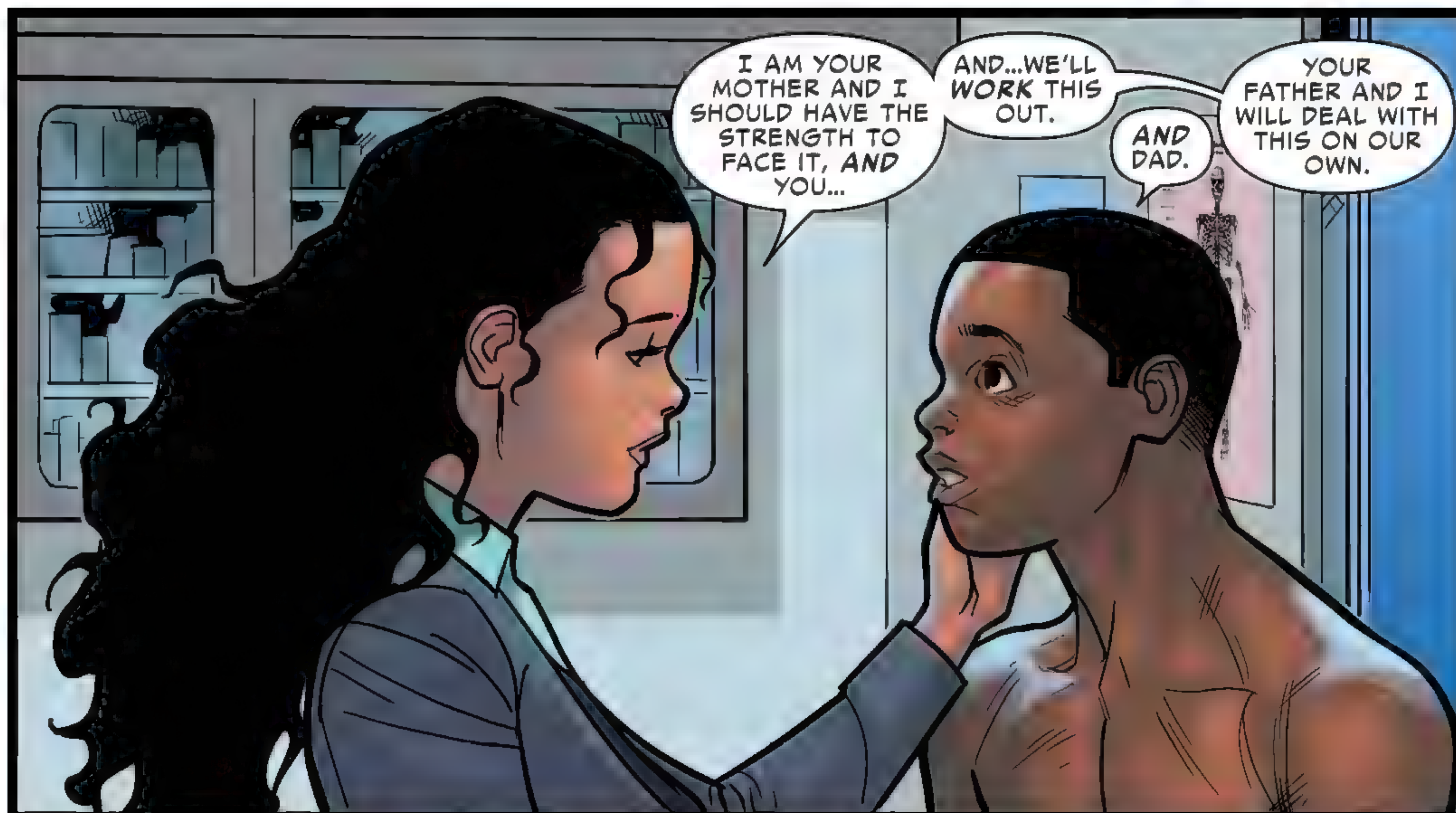




WHY WEREN'T YOU?! OH, THAT'S RIGHT!

NO, SERIOUSLY, MOMMA...

WELL, I CAME BY TO TELL YOU I LOVE YOU, AND THOUGH MY FEELINGS ARE QUITE HURT ABOUT A LOT OF THIS...



I AM YOUR MOTHER AND I SHOULD HAVE THE STRENGTH TO FACE IT, AND YOU...

AND...WE'LL WORK THIS OUT.

AND DAD.

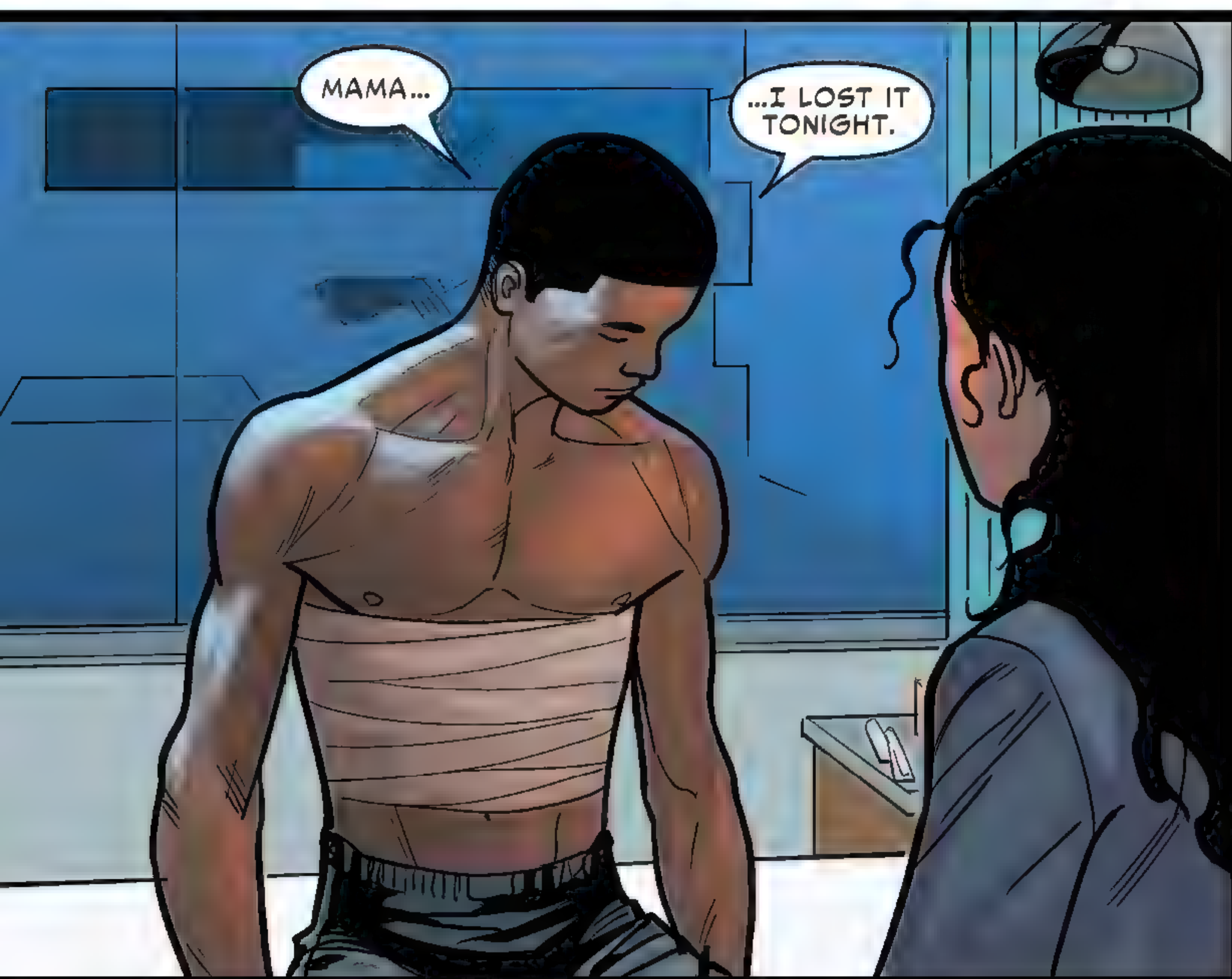
YOUR FATHER AND I WILL DEAL WITH THIS ON OUR OWN.



IF YOU FORGIVE ME, YOU HAVE TO FORGIVE HIM.

IT'S THE SAME LIE.

IT'S A DIFFERENT RELATIONSHIP.



MAMA...

...I LOST IT TONIGHT.



LOST IT?

IN THE FIGHT.

DID YOU-- WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?



ALL I WANTED TO DO WAS--

I COULD HAVE KILLED THIS GUY.



YOU'RE WORRIED YOU COULD HAVE. YOU DIDN'T ACTUALLY--?



MAYBE-- MAYBE I CAN'T HOLD BACK NEXT TIME.

BEING WORRIED ABOUT IT AND ACTUALLY DOING IT ARE VERY DIFFERENT THINGS.



LET ME ASK YOU, DOES THE OTHER SPIDER-MAN--HAS HE EVER LOST IT?



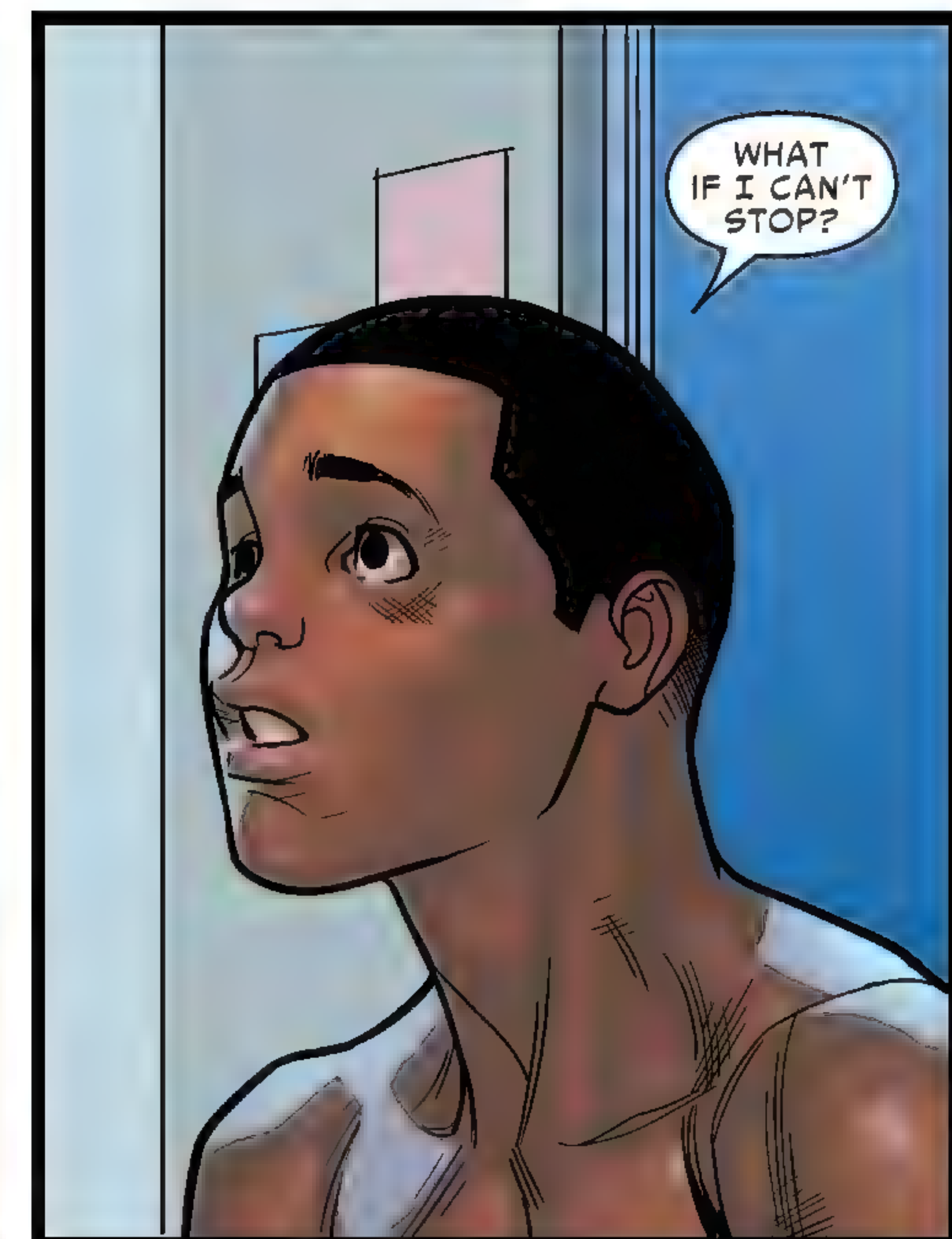
HMM?
NO.
THEN THAT'S YOUR ANSWER.
I'M NOT HIM.
NO, YOU'RE BETTER THAN HIM.



YOU'RE MY MOTHER.
YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO THINK THAT.



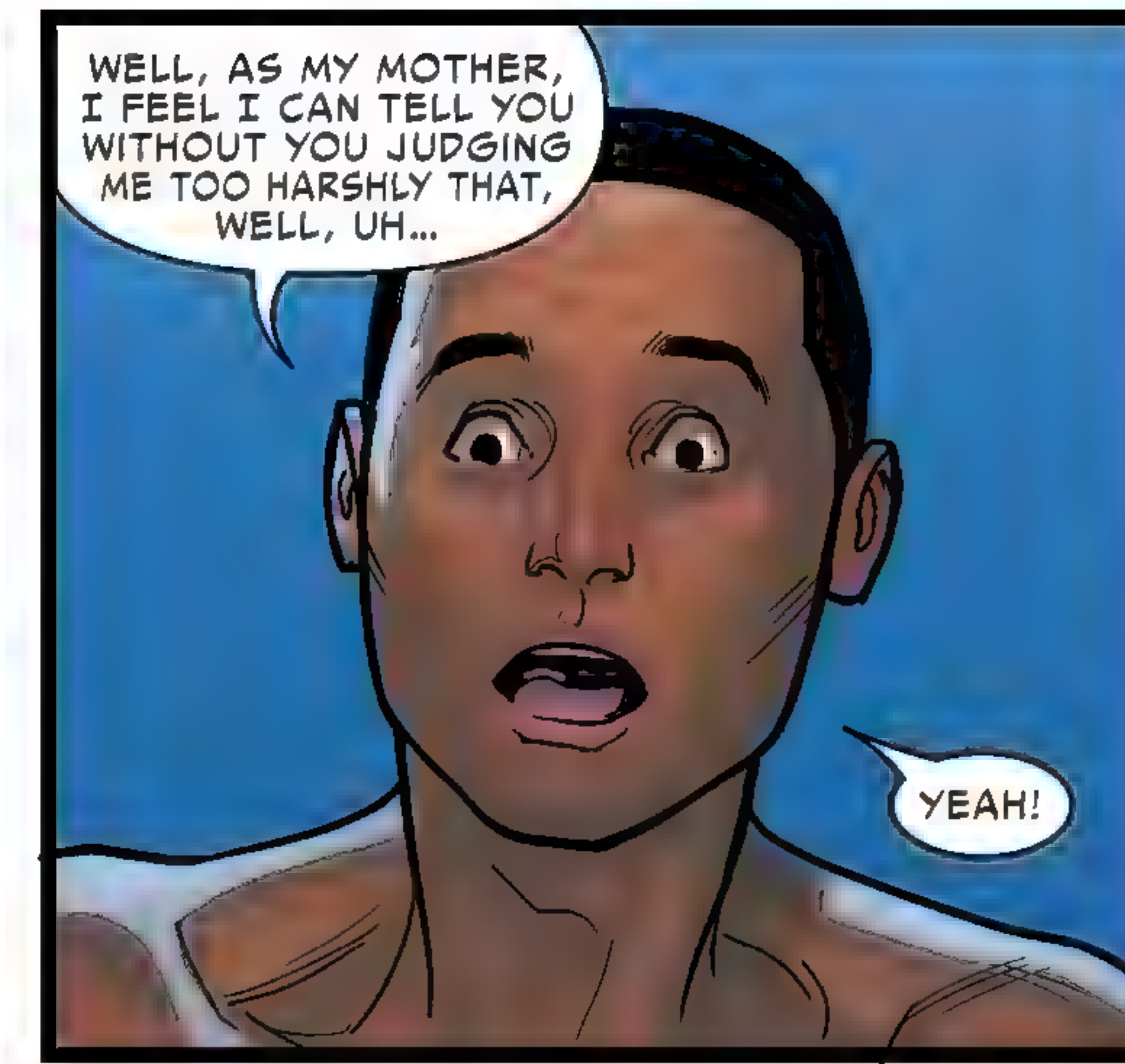
I DIDN'T SAY YOU WERE BETTER THAN THOR.
LISTEN, YOU CHOSE THIS.
I'LL SPEND THE REST OF MY DAYS TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHY, BUT...YOU CHOSE THIS.
IT'S HARD. IT IS SO HARD.
IT MAY BE AGAINST THE LAW.



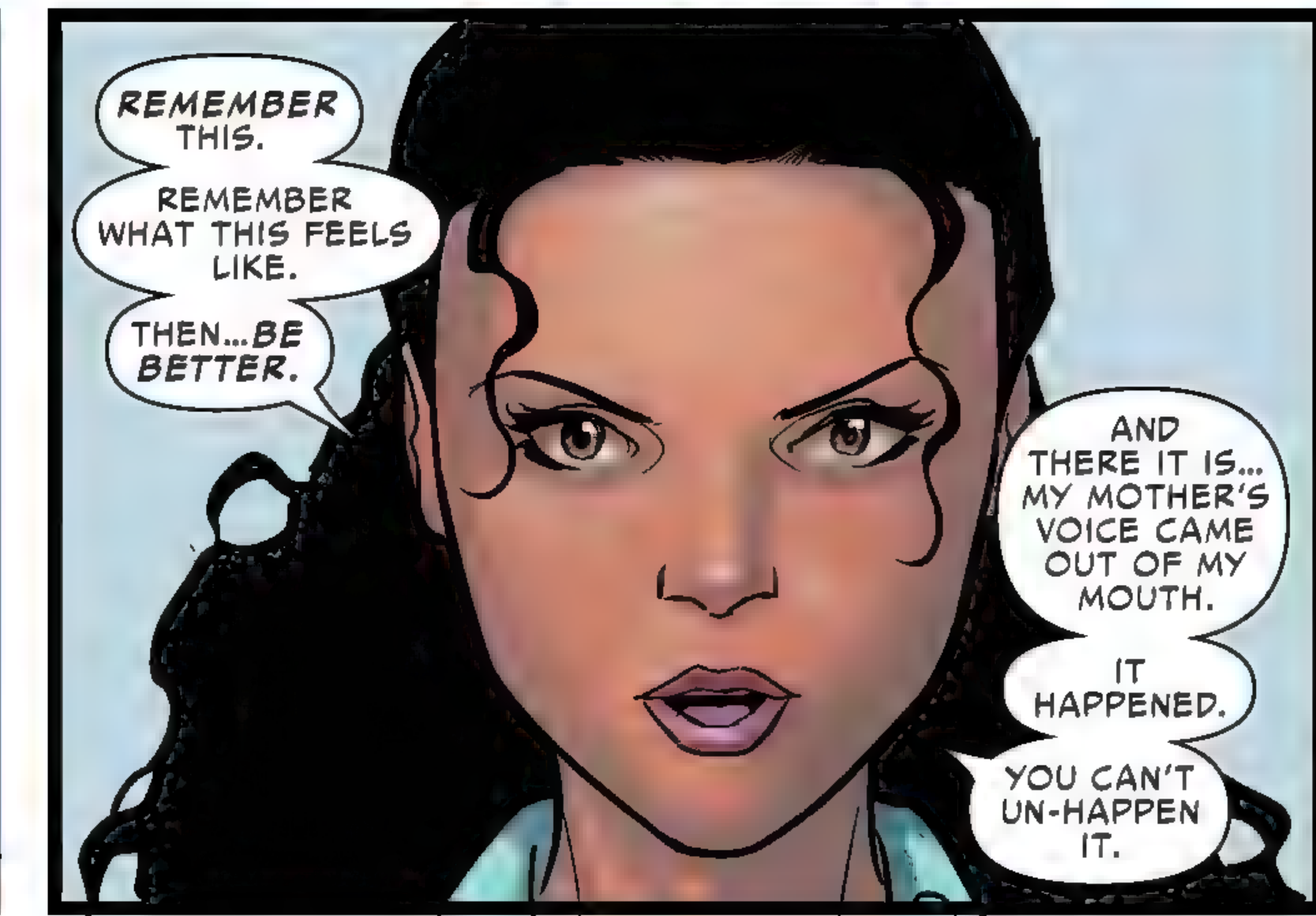
WHAT IF I CAN'T STOP?



"WHAT IF..."
YOU SCARED?



WELL, AS MY MOTHER, I FEEL I CAN TELL YOU WITHOUT YOU JUDGING ME TOO HARSHLY THAT, WELL, UH...
YEAH!



REMEMBER THIS.
REMEMBER WHAT THIS FEELS LIKE.
THEN...BE BETTER.
AND THERE IT IS... MY MOTHER'S VOICE CAME OUT OF MY MOUTH.
IT HAPPENED.
YOU CAN'T UN-HAPPEN IT.



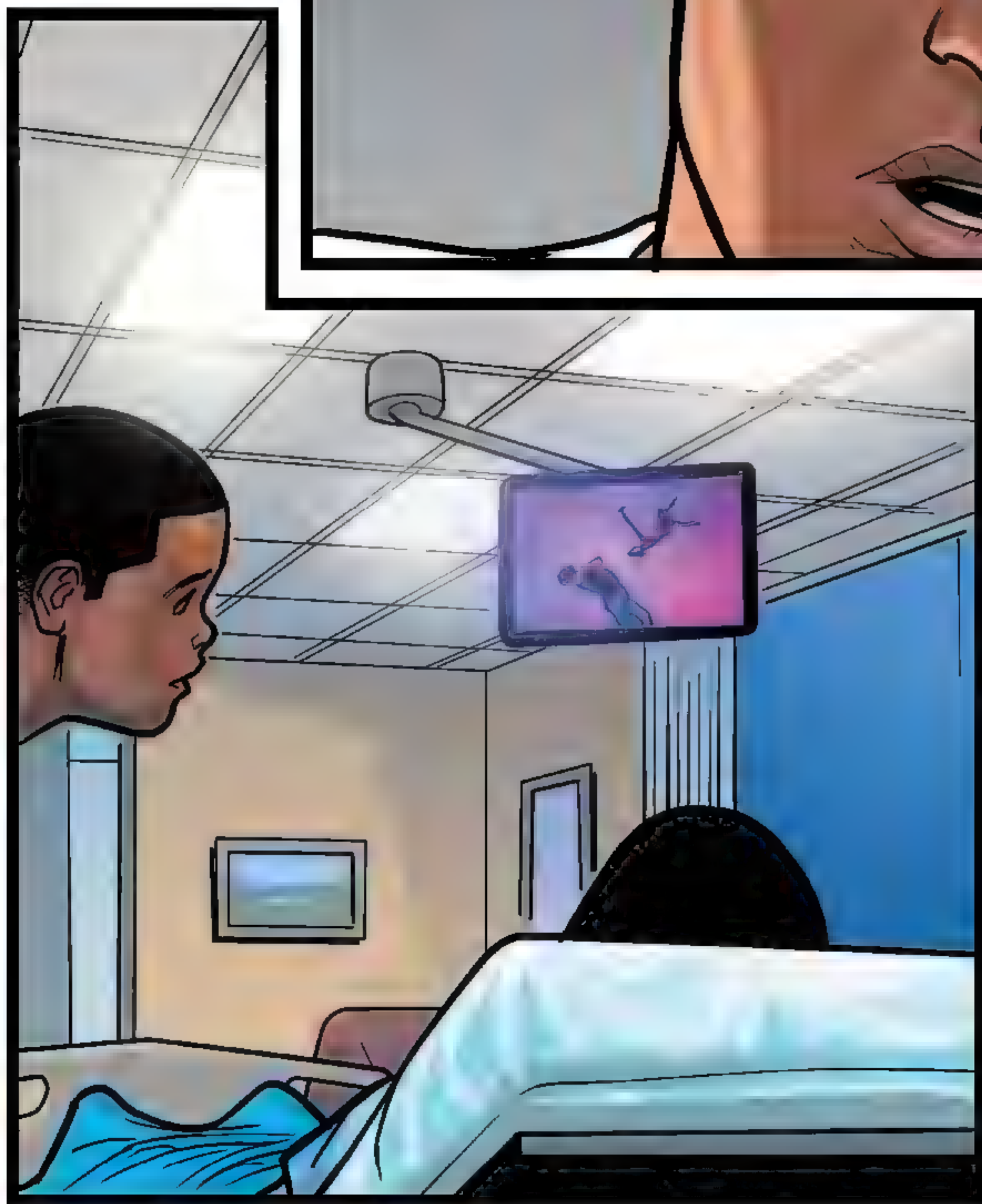
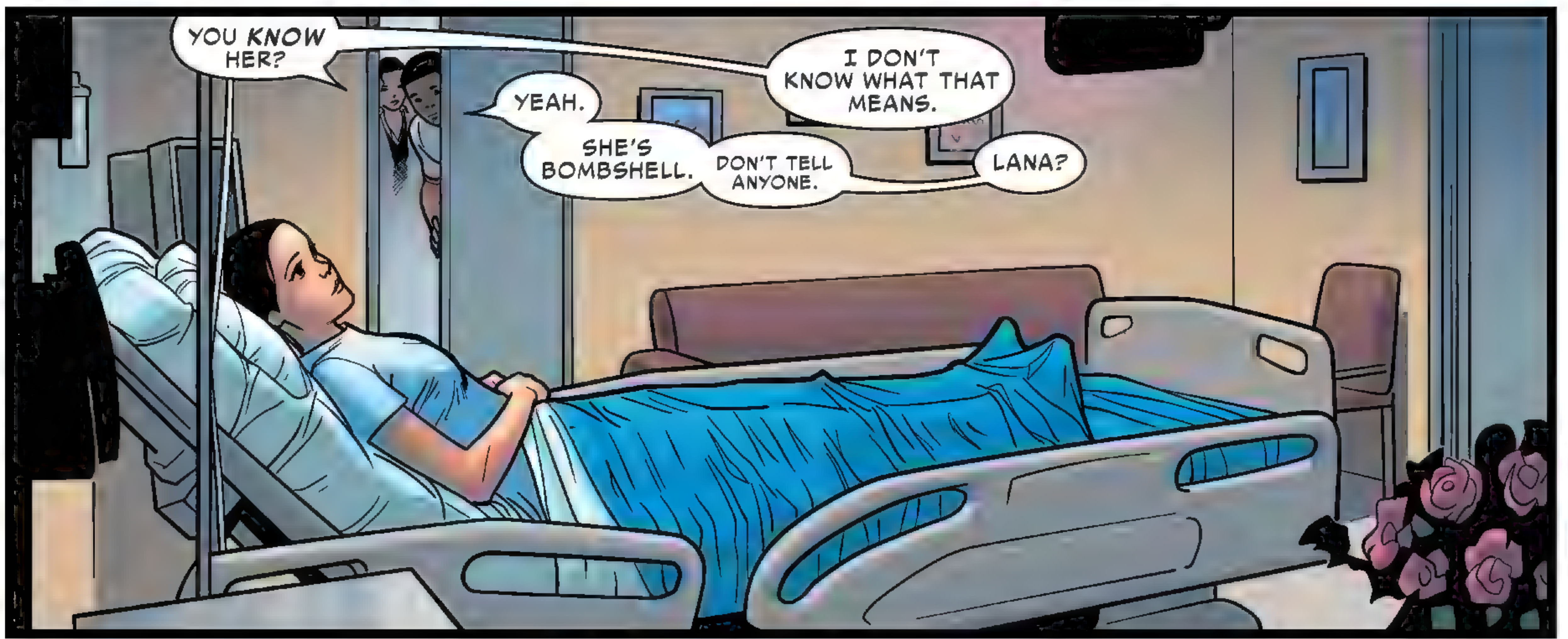
SNNNNNGHH...
LOOKS LIKE I'M NEEDED!
SNNNNNNNNNGGHHH...
EASIER SAID THAN DONE.
ALMOST EVERYTHING IS.
LET'S GO HOME.

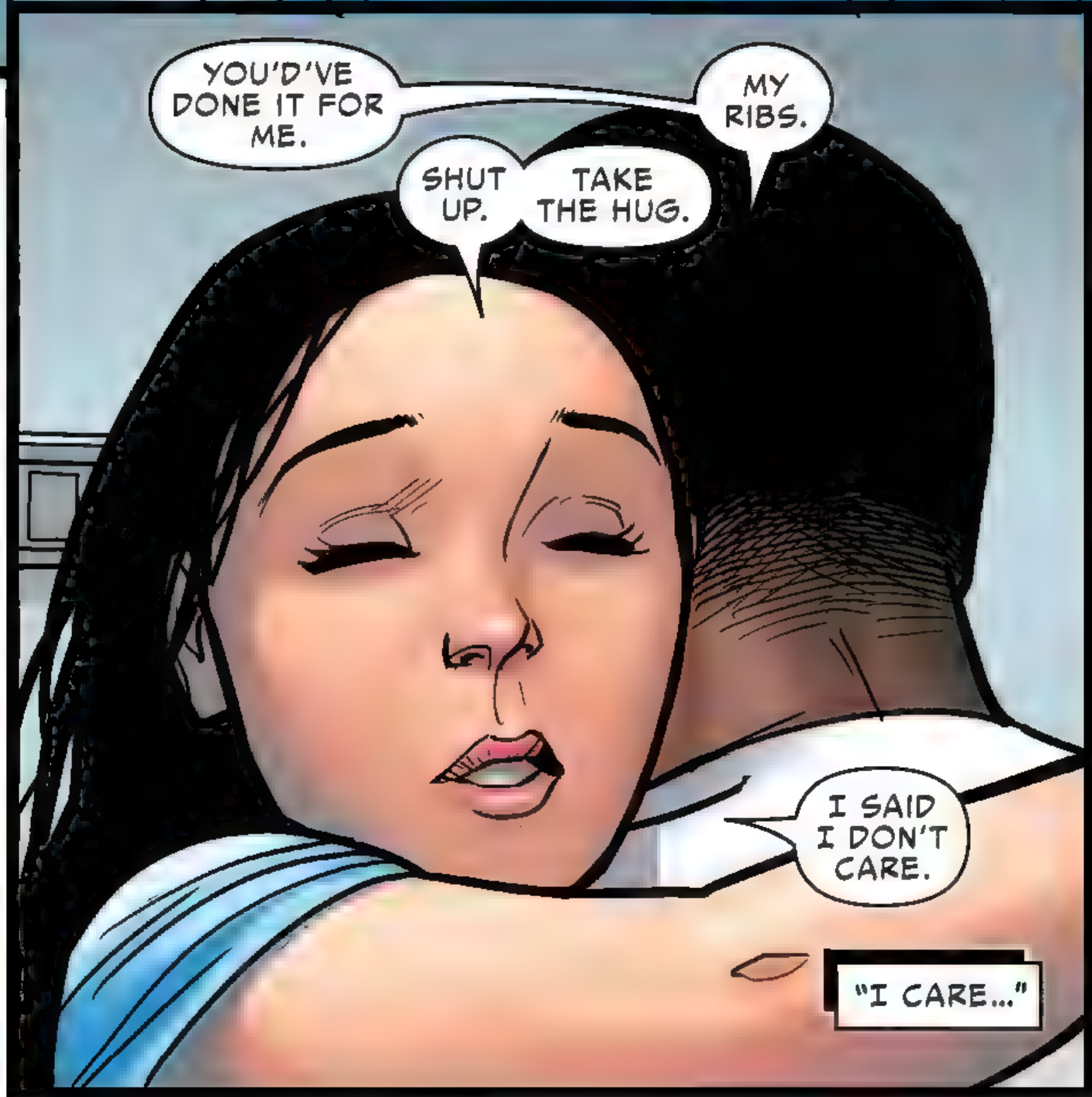
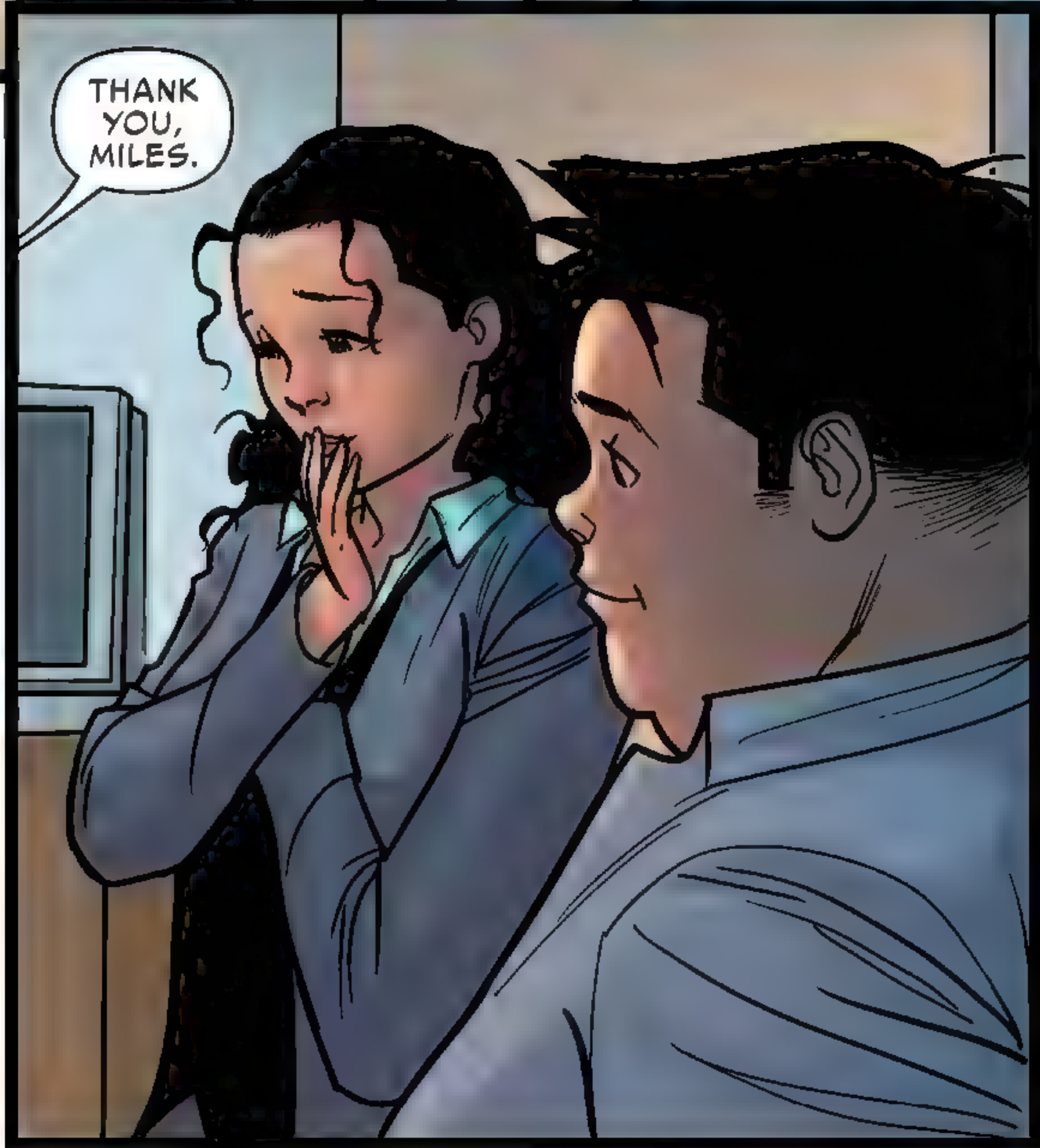
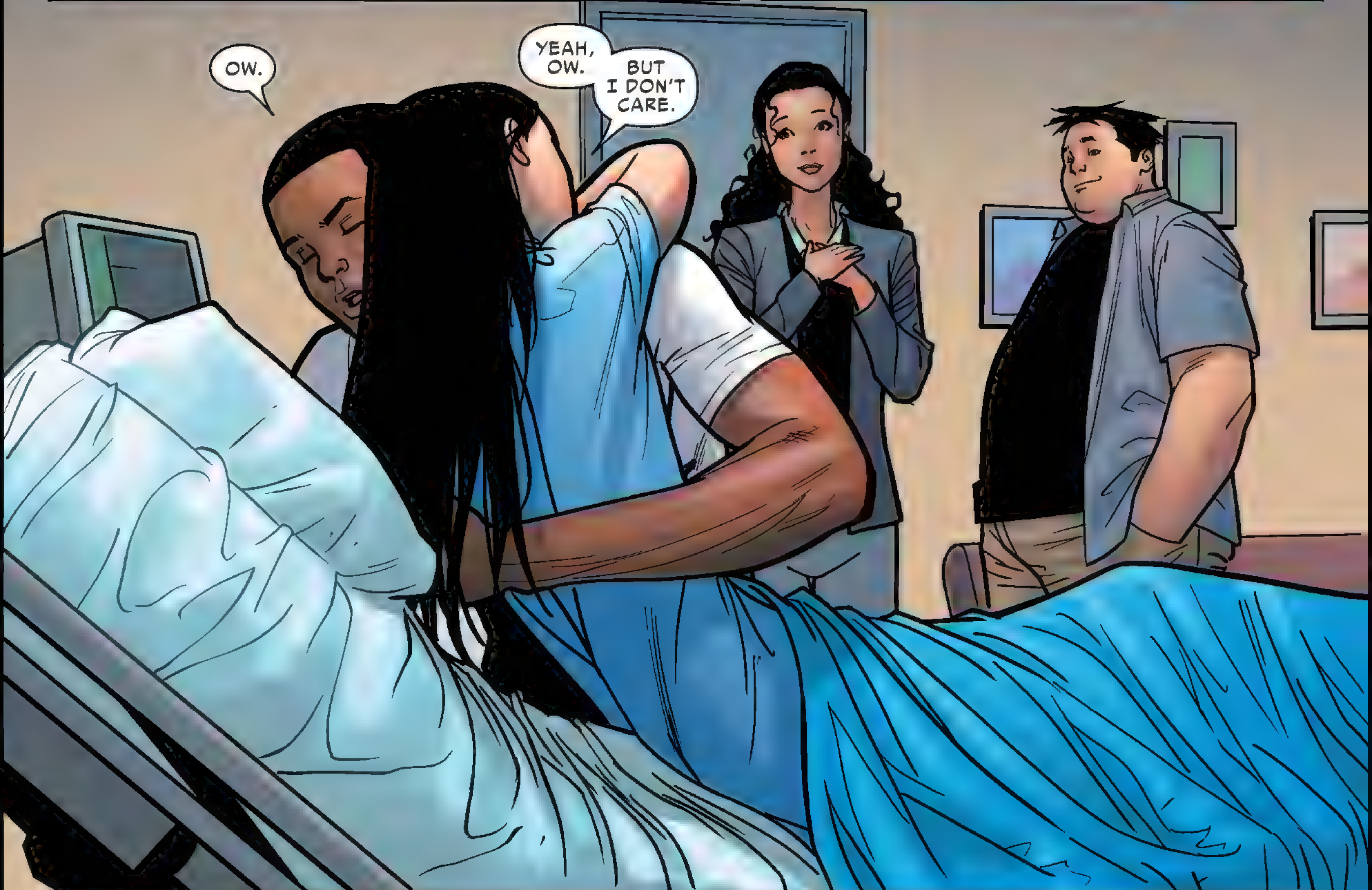


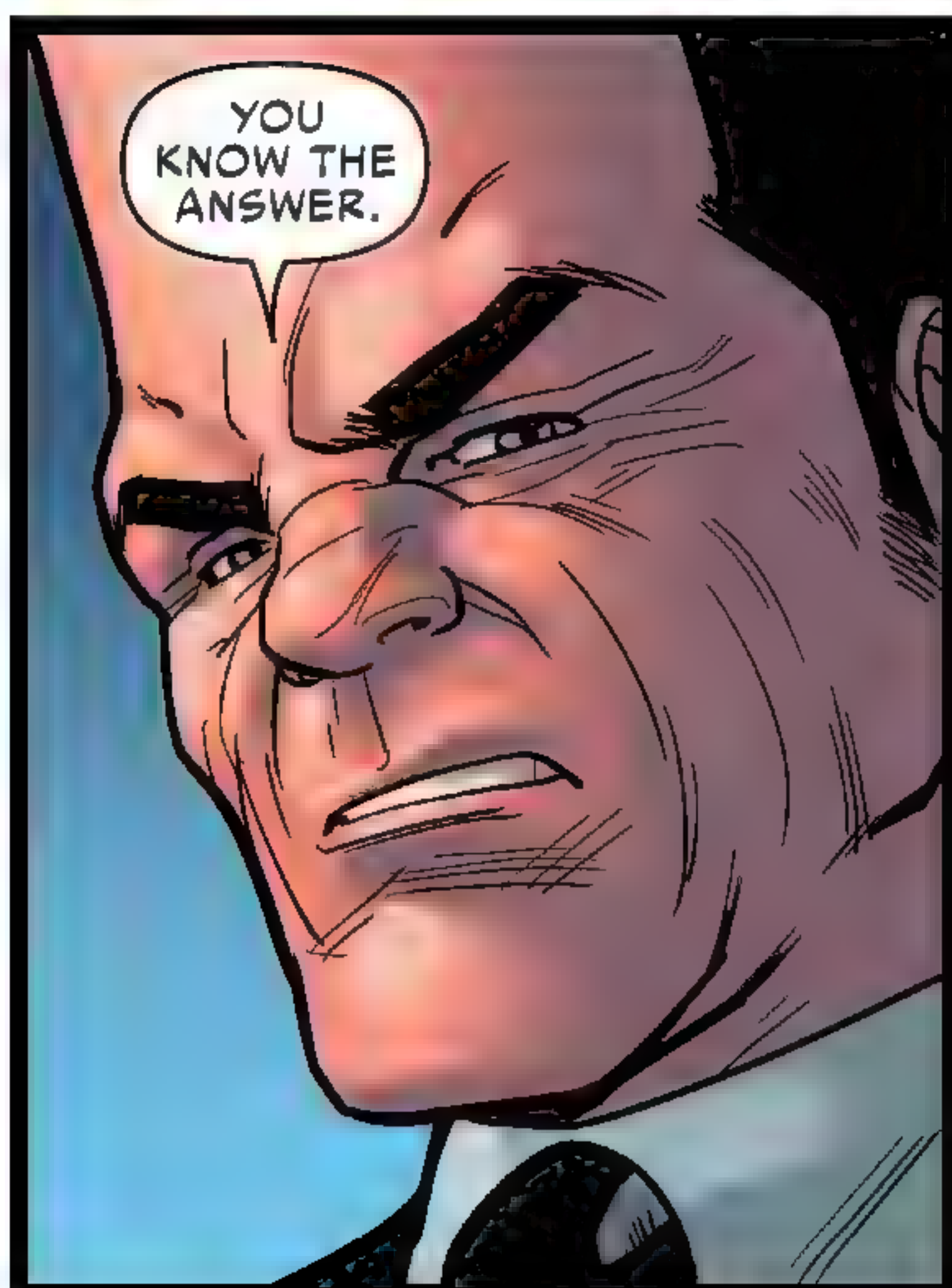
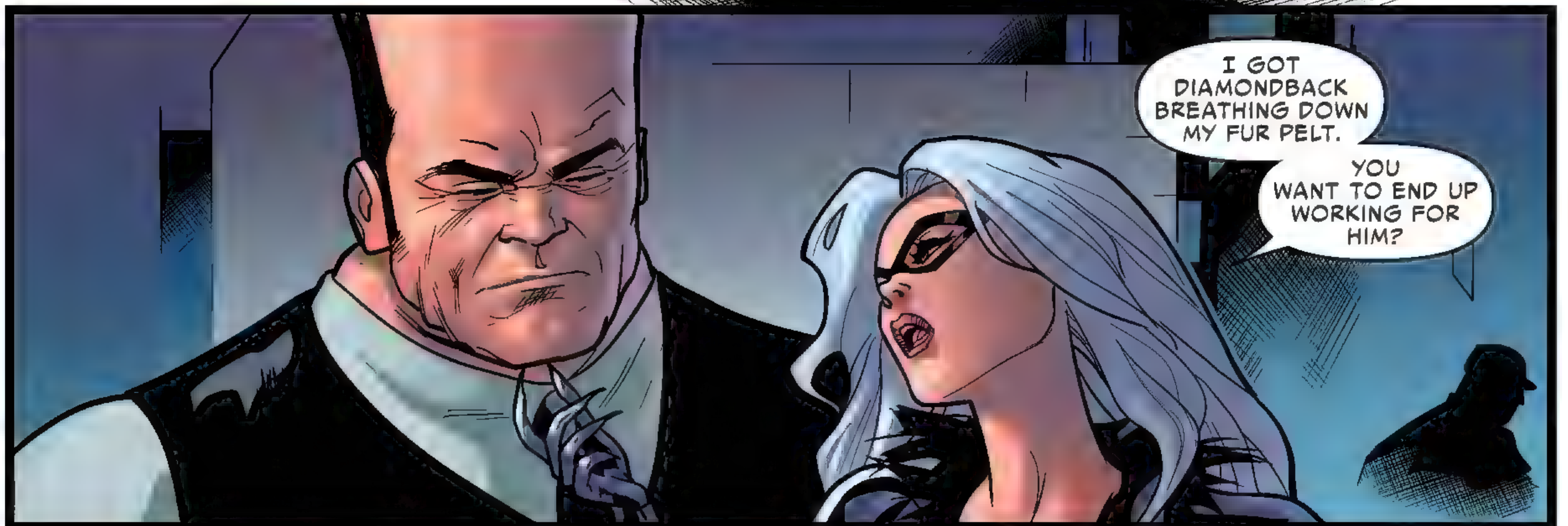
GANKE!
GORGONZOLA!
RISE AND SHINE, SUPER HERO.

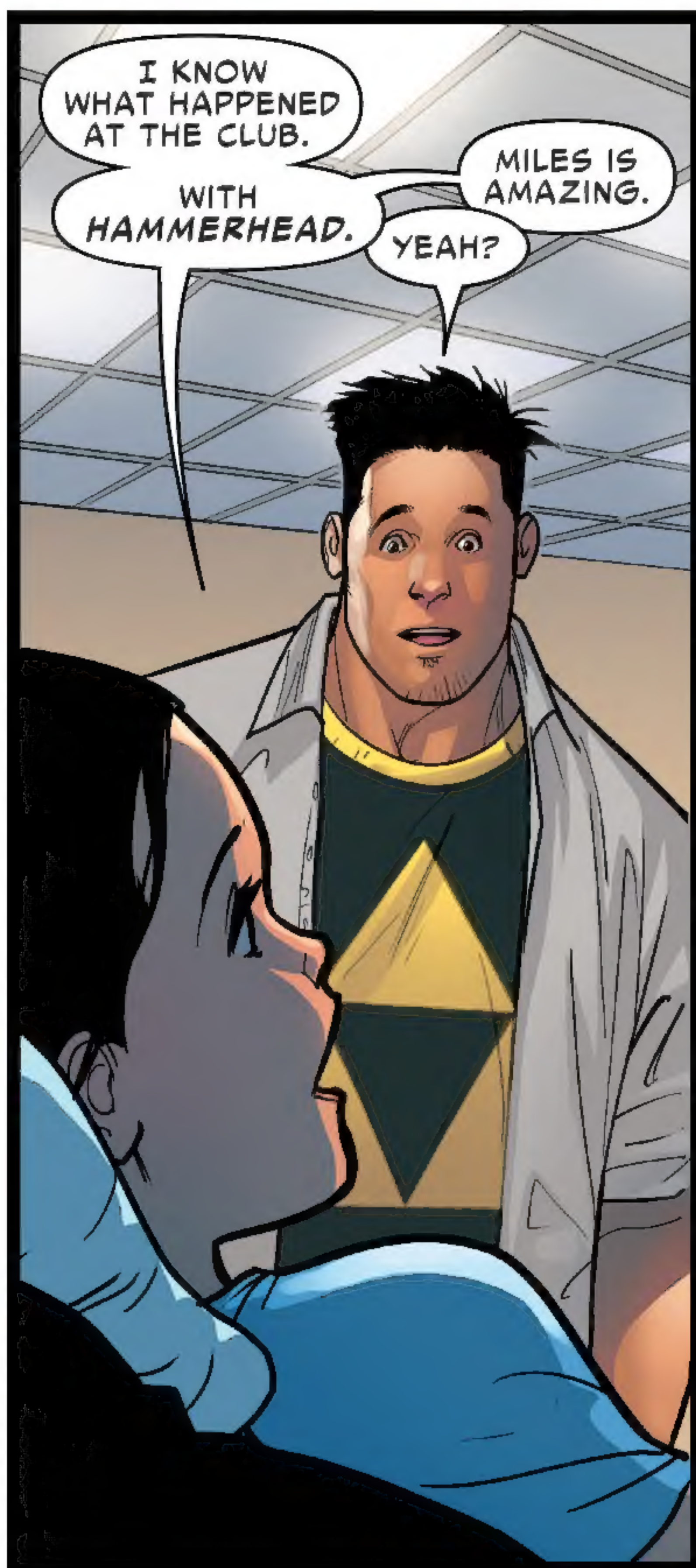
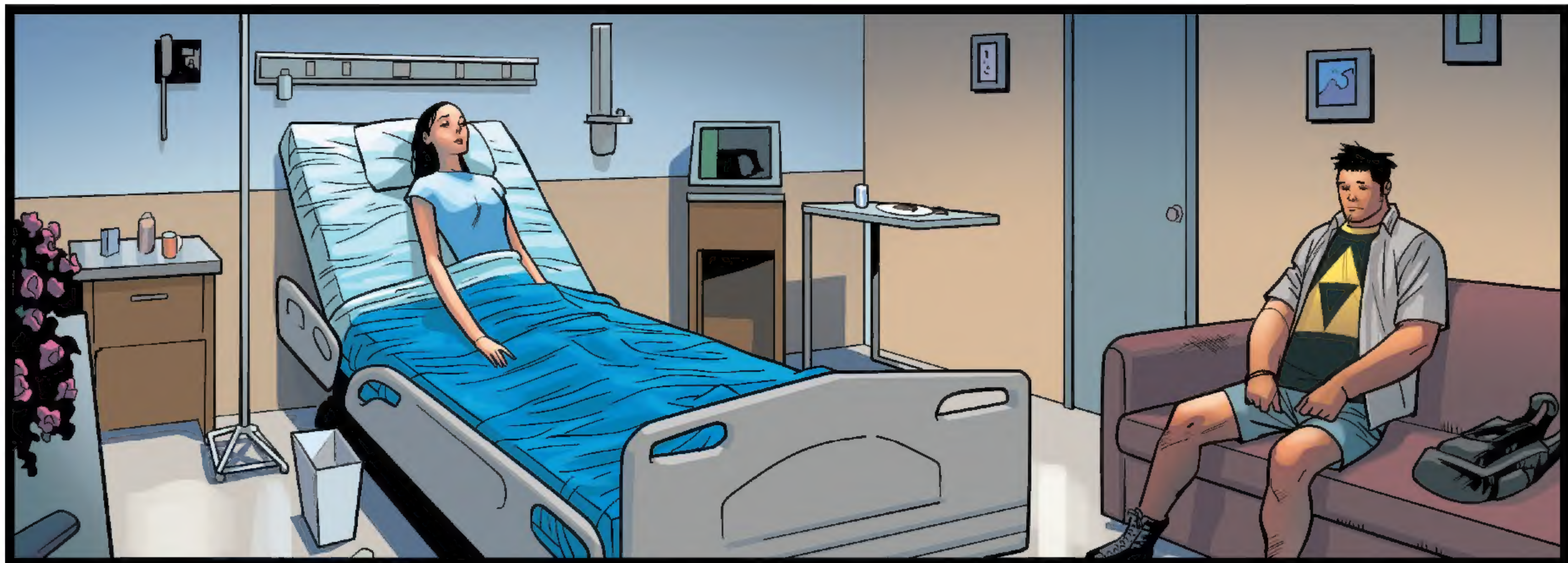


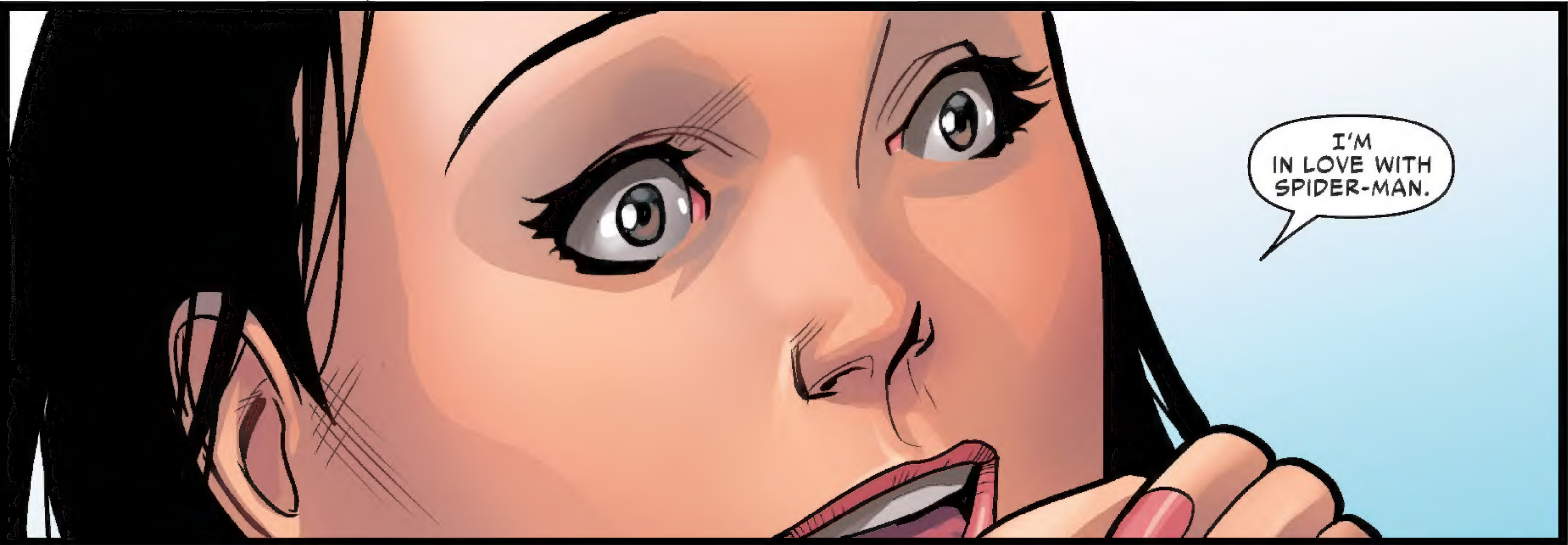
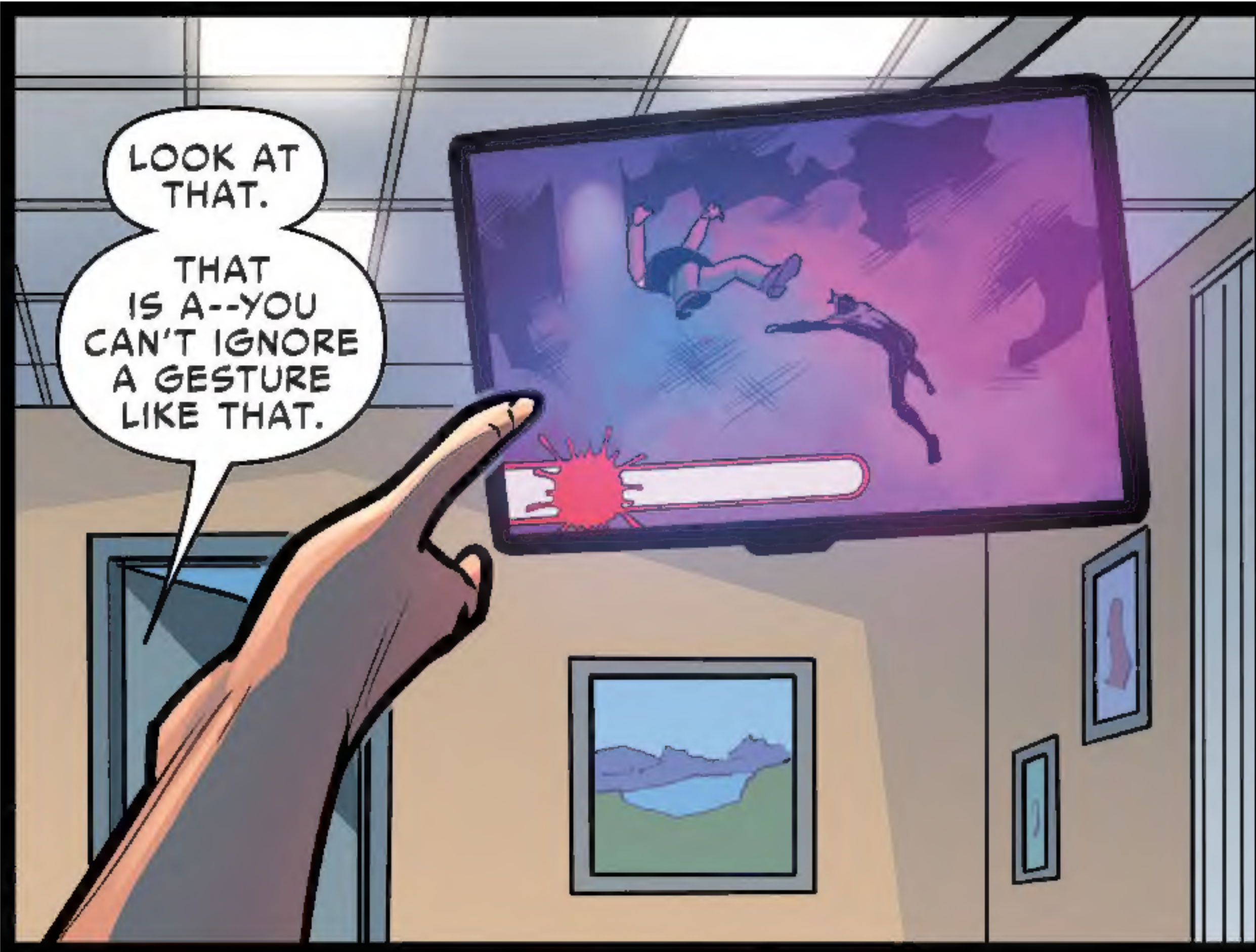
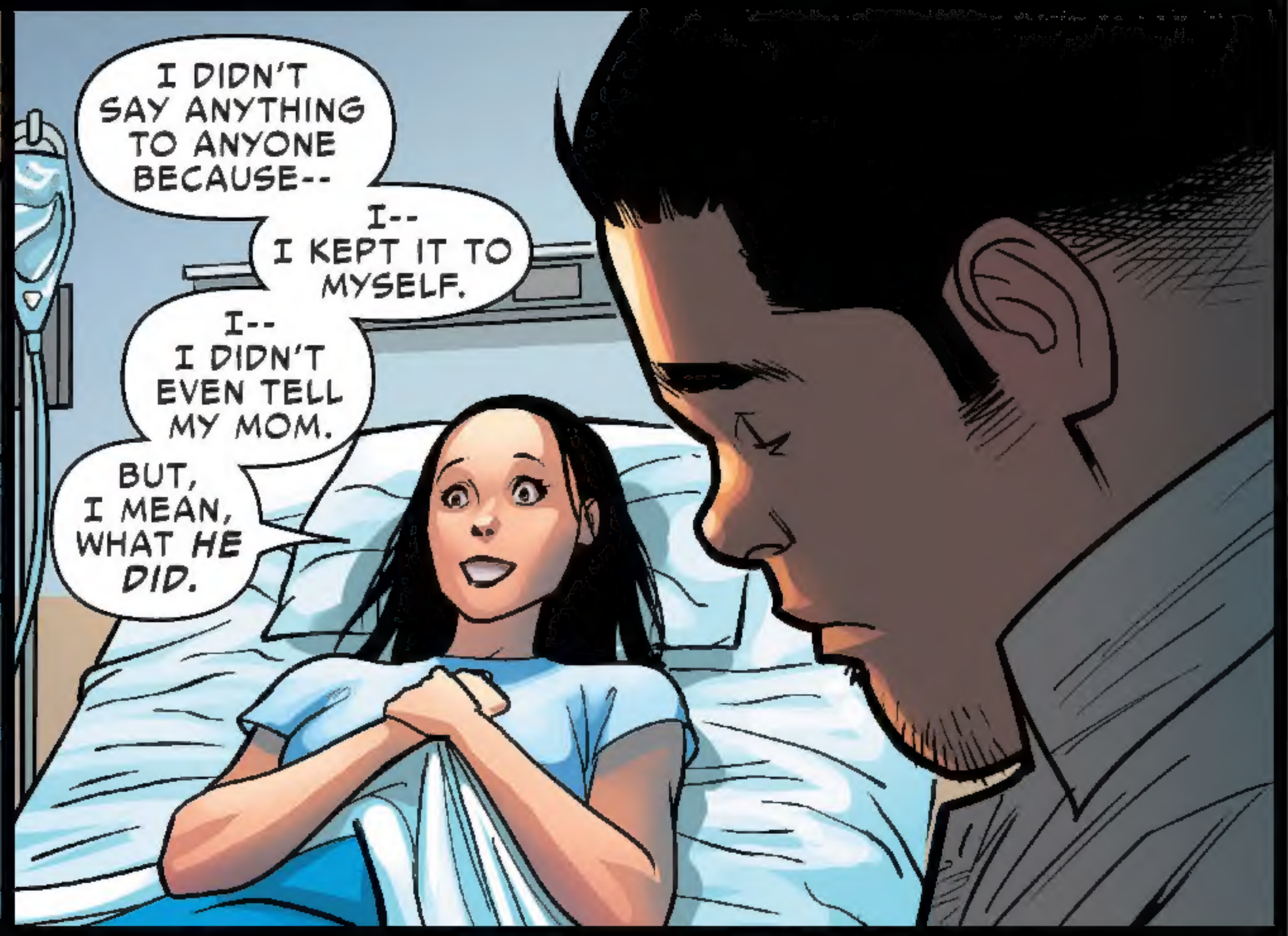
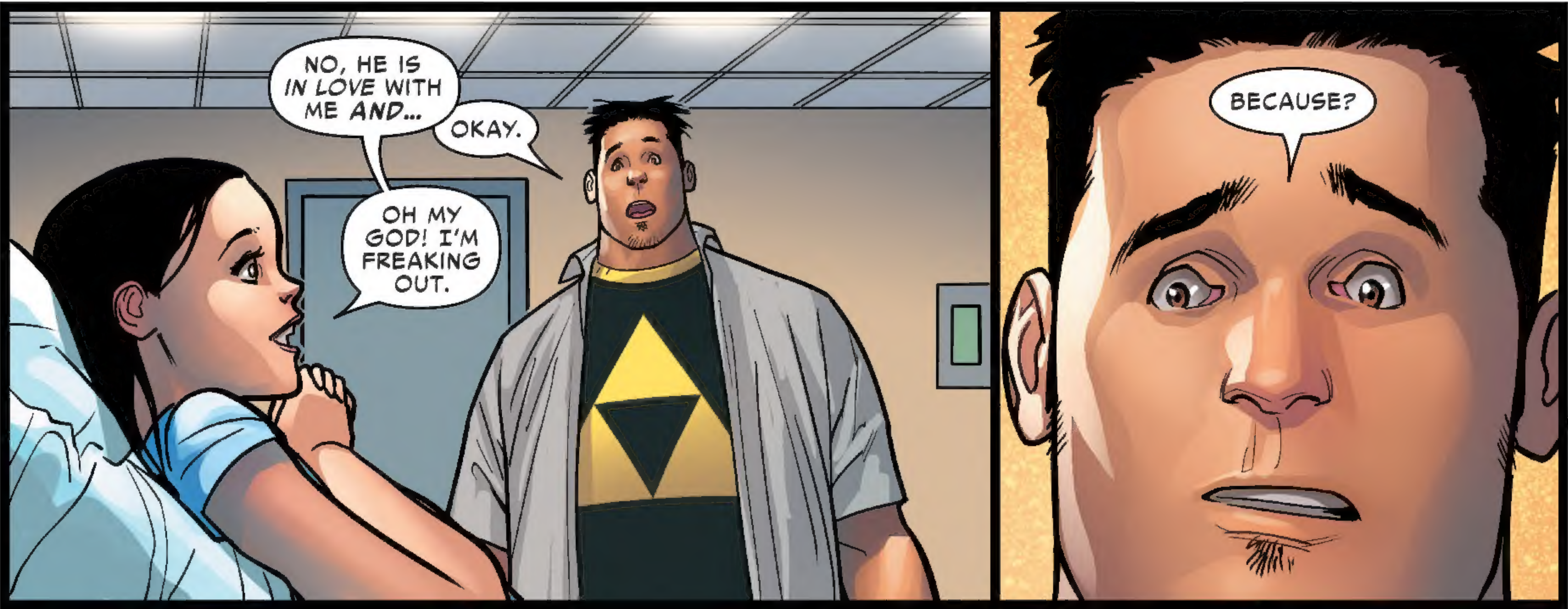
"GORGONZOLA"?
IT'S ALWAYS FOOD...
ACTUALLY, BEFORE WE GO...

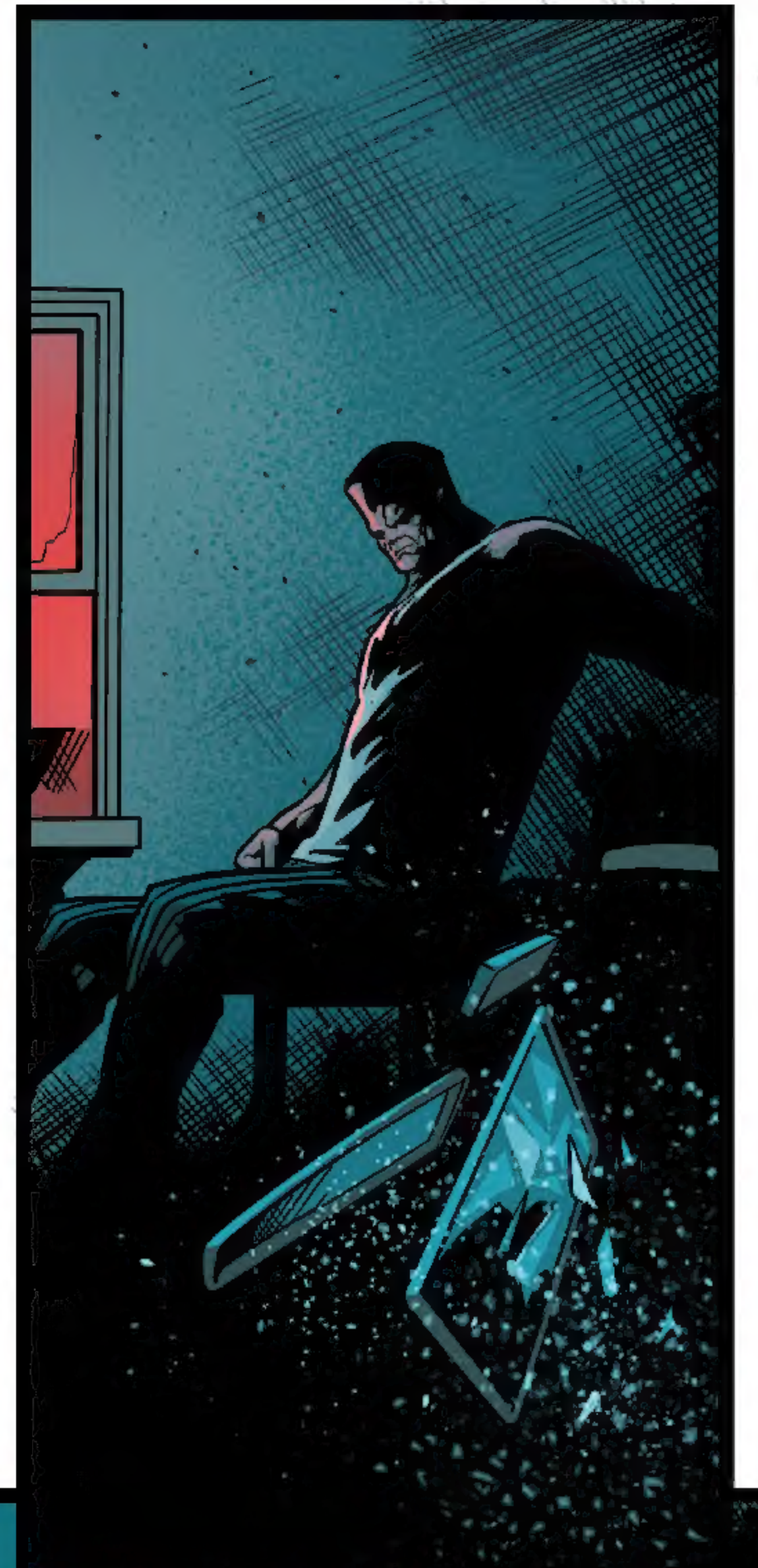












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